

CENTRAL ITALY DAM BOMBED BY AMERICANS

Allied Planes Speeding Up Campaign in New Guinea

Japs Reported Massing Naval Aerial Strength

Hope To Block Westward Drive

ADVANCED ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, Saturday, May 6 (AP)—Allied planes have intensified their campaign of neutralizing the Schouten islands in Dutch New Guinea area where the Japanese are reported massing naval air strength, headquarters announced today.

Jap Fliers Reinforced

That is in the sector where a spokesman said yesterday the Japanese were sending reinforcements of their well-trained naval fliers to block the westward movement of Gen. Douglas MacArthur's forces toward the Philippines.

Wadke island air base, the nearest one to the west of Hollandia, also was raided and neutralizing attacks were continued against Wewak to the southeast of Hollandia.

Some of the estimated 60,000 Japanese troops isolated between Hollandia and the Madang area have been noticed concentrating at Wewak.

20 Barges Damaged

In the Wewak-Hansa bay sector where the Japanese have been trying to flee on barges, headquarters reported today that swift patrol torpedo boats had damaged twenty more barges and silenced three shore batteries. This added to a swiftly mounting toll of barges, many of them loaded with troops, destroyed or damaged in the isolated zone.

Wandering groups of Japanese are continuing to give themselves up to the Hollandia invasion forces. A spokesman said today the total number of the enemy which has surrendered there now totals 155. Although small, that is large when contrasted with other similar operations of the past. Heretofore the Japanese soldier has elected fanatical death or suicide rather than lose face by giving himself up.

Headquarters reported new air strikes at Dutch Timor, daily-raided Rabaul, New Britain, and Kavieng, New Ireland.

American Woman Held as Jap Spy

NEW YORK, May 5 (AP)—Mrs. Velva Dickinson, 50, accused of dealing in battleship secrets while operating a Manhattan doll shop, was indicted today as a paid spy for the Japanese—a charge carrying death as the maximum penalty.

"I know of no other case during this war in which a woman faces the possibility of forfeiting her life," said United States Attorney James B. McNally.

Mrs. Dickinson, an American-born, frail-appearing, 95-pound graduate of Leland Stanford University, pleaded innocent in federal court and was held in \$25,000 bail for trial June 5.

McNally told the court she sent in code "a number of letters to Argentina, some of them containing information about the movement and repairs of battleships after Pearl Harbor."

"We charge that she did this for money received from Japanese agents," he said.

Chinese Troops under Stilwell Trap Japs in Northern Burma

SOUTHEAST ASIA HEADQUARTERS, KANDY, CEYLON, May 5 (AP)—American-trained Chinese troops of Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell have smashed through the hotly-contested village of Inkanghaw in Northern Burma and by a flanking maneuver trapped the Japanese garrison, Admiral Lord Mountbatten's communique announced today.

At the same time, it was disclosed that strong British and Indian forces had launched a general offensive in the Kohima area of Eastern India and were making "satisfactory progress" against Japanese troops who apparently had spent themselves in futile attacks

D-Day Still "Imminent":

Germany Rushing Reinforcements Into Restive Denmark and Norway

By EDWARD D. BALL

LONDON, May 5 (AP)—The Germans were reported tonight to have sent 20,000 reinforcements into restive Denmark and 30,000 in Norway in a new series of anti-invasion moves ranging along almost the entire western front.

Berlin radio commentators continued to discuss the expected Allied assault as being imminent.

A high percentage of seasoned veterans was included among the troops rushed to the Danish and Norwegian sectors of Germany's western defenses, said reports received here through Stockholm.

The Belgian news agency said the Germans had flooded the coastal zone both east and west of Flanders, inundating most roads.

In the neighborhood of Calais, Dunkerque, Gravelines and Nieuport

rising water and displaced sands from dunes are threatening the defense construction, it was said.

The Germans announced they were ready for assault from any direction, drawing their latest omen from Iceland with a report that there was "great Allied activity and large shipping concentrations there, reinforcing the impression that the Allies are planning an invasion of Scandinavia."

The Paris radio saw "great gravity" in the west, and Berlin and Vichy commentators noted "mounting Allied reinforcements" in Italy and predicted a blow there simultaneously with the offensive from the west. Algiers said the Germans were rushing reinforcements on the island of Elba lying between Corsica and the Italian northwest coast.

Cuban Rum Brings Angry Protests

Ferguson Objects To "Cartel" Plan

WASHINGTON, May 5 (AP)—Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.) declared angrily today that because of a "cartel arrangement" between Cuba and the War Production Board, "inferior" rums and gins are being sold American consumers "at high prices."

Questioning Walter Whitman, head of the WPB chemical division, at a session of the Senate Liquor Investigating committee, Ferguson asked why WPB limited importations of beverage alcohol from Cuba to 14,300,000 proof gallons this year.

Reason for Curb

Whitman said the foreign economic administration urged the order on the ground that if importation of rums and gins are curbed, "it would make so much more Cuban molasses and sugar available for industrial alcohol."

Asserting it was "a cartel arrangement," Ferguson declared that its effect had been to permit Cuba to ship its full quota of alcohol beverage in gins and rums, and that Schenley's, one of the United States "big four" distillers, is the biggest purchaser of these beverages.

Whitman confirmed reports that there had been a request from Cuba that no alcohol imported from there be used for whiskey blending in this country. However, he said any report that the United States government had ok'd this request was "a baseless rumor."

McCarran Seeks Facts

Senator McCarran (D-Nev.), committee chairman, said he would call in State department and FEA officials later, for an "explanation" of the request.

"Not long ago the distillers offered to buy all the commercial alcohol (cane) in Cuba and trade it to you for pure grain alcohol with which to make whiskey in this country," McCarran told Whitman.

Whitman said he understood one distiller, Seagram's, proposed such a plan.

"Wasn't it rejected?" McCarran asked.

"I believe it was made to FEA, although it was discussed with us," WPB Chairman Donald Nelson said yesterday he was considering a new proposal along this line submitted by Seagram's.

Will Broadcast Derby

WASHINGTON, May 5 (AP)—The running of the Kentucky derby tomorrow will be radioed overseas by the army service forces.

Gandhi To Get Freedom Today

Indian Leader In Poor Health

LONDON, Saturday, May 6 (AP)—Mohandas K. Gandhi was released from detention at Poona, India, this morning.

LONDON, May 5 (AP)—Mohandas K. Gandhi, the Indian leader, will be released from internment tomorrow morning.

A statement issued tonight simultaneously in London and India said: "In view of medical reports of Mr. Gandhi's health, the government of India has decided to release him unconditionally. This decision has been taken solely on medical grounds."

"The release takes place at 8 a. m. May 6."

The 75-year-old leader in the struggle for Indian freedom has been imprisoned in the ornate palace of the Aga Khan at Poona since August, 1942, because of his attitude toward India's resistance to Japan.

He developed a fever last month less than two months after the death of his wife, and although he showed improvement his general condition caused anxiety.

Boy Legislature In Annual Session

Cumberland Youth Heard at Annapolis

ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 5 (AP)—Governor O'Connor told the 149 delegates to Maryland's "boy legislature" today that if they decide that persons of 18 should be permitted to vote "such a session as this might well be the place to initiate a program of publicity and education" that might influence action by the regular Maryland legislature in 1945.

Opening a special two-day session of high school students from throughout the state who have gathered as delegates and senators to take part in a model session of the General Assembly, the governor declared that "any such proposal involving a drastic change deserves the fullest possible consideration."

Need Help of Young

O'Connor said that "in solving the acute problems certain to face this state in the postwar years, we shall need the enthusiasm, resourcefulness, vigor, leadership and teamwork of our splendid boys and girls."

The "boy legislature" convened at 3:20 p. m. and Speaker of the House King Hill of Baltimore introduced President of the Senate Wayne H. Cowan, also of Baltimore.

The convocation was given by Hartley Wigfield of Cumberland, following which Dr. Earle T. Hawkins, chairman of the Statewide Youth and Government committee gave a few introductory remarks.

"Boy Governor" Heard

John Ruxton, "boy governor," of Baltimore asserted in a prepared speech prior to Governor O'Connor's address that "it shall be our endeavor to make this the best model legislature ever held in the nation."

"I recommend that we take advantage of this assembly by enacting measures tending to improve the conditions of the state of Maryland as a whole. Our purpose involves preparation for the conditions that lie ahead, through practice, keeping always in mind the good of the state."

House Inquiry In Ward Case Voted, 300 to 60

Democrats Back Move for Probe

By TOM REEDY

WASHINGTON, May 5 (AP)—By a thumping 300 to 60 vote, the House today authorized an investigation of the government's seizure of the labor-embattled Montgomery Ward plant in Chicago.

A resolution creating a seven-man committee to determine whether President Roosevelt exceeded his authority was jammed through with only the staunchest administration supporters in opposition.

118 Democrats Bolt

The Republicans voted solidly for the inquiry which will run concurrently with another by the Senate already underway. Democratic lines broke and 118 joined the G. O. P. in favor of the probe.

Backers of the proposal, drafted by Rep. Dewey (R-Ill.), sharply criticized the president, the War Labor Board Attorney General Biddle. They contended that the Ward plant is not a war factory and that Biddle's ruling in support of the seizure makes all private property subject to government acquisition.

Administrationists countered that the seizure was sanctioned by the Smith-Connally anti-strike law.

As the House voted a group of employees of Montgomery Ward's Springfield, Ill., subsidiary the Hummer Manufacturing Co., were off their jobs and said they would remain idle "until the company signs a contract or the government takes over the plant." The plant was not involved in the Chicago dispute.

450 Workers Involved

A company spokesman estimated 450 were involved. The workers are members of the International Association of Machinists (IAM). The plant produces farm equipment and war production parts. Joe Wloski, shop committee chairman, said the company had rejected a War Labor Board order for a four-cent wage increase and recognition of other union demands.

Temper flared in the House debate with Chairman Sabath (D-Ill.) of the Rules committee and Rep. Cox (D-Ga.), ranking majority member, involved in one sharp exchange. Sabath finally voted for the resolution, arguing it would show the company "received many favors" from the government, then "defied" the commander-in-chief in wartime. The attendance at the session was unusually large.

Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex.) probably will not announce before Monday the four Democrats and two Republicans he will appoint for the investigation.

Republicans Chief Critics

Among the sharpest critics of the resolution was Rep. Cochran (D-Mo.), chairman of the Expenditures committee which will provide the investigation money, probably \$5,000. He said he personally wouldn't approve a dime for it "but the committee will."

Republicans were the most vocal in demanding the resolution's adoption.

Said Representative Woodruff (R-Mich.): "The attorney general's ruling 'that no property is immune' in wartime includes every citizen of this country. Not even the newspapers, regardless of the guarantee of a free press, could escape the heavy hand of a dictatorship."

Rep. Halleck (R-Ind.), chairman of the Republican Congressional campaign committee: "The courts were open and there was no martial law. The use of troops was unjustified. I don't believe the Congress has undertaken to repeal or annul the bill of rights."

Railway Express Clerk Finds Body Of Unknown Woman in Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, May 5 (AP)—His curiosity aroused by a fluid trickling to the floor, a railway express clerk opened a trunk in the agency office today and found the body of a woman.

The trickle was caused by the brine from salt that encased the almost nude body, bound with torn sheets and a woman's slip.

A way bill disclosed that the trunk was sent from Chicago April 30 by a John Lopez to the same person here. It arrived last night. No Chicago or Los Angeles address was given and the way bill was marked, "will call." It placed a value of \$50 on the trunk and contents.

The only clues police had to the grisly mystery were offered by a large quantity of blood-soaked woman's and boy's clothing, jammed into the container with the body. There were also towels, one marked "Fleetwood hotel," and another bearing a laundry mark.

A pink girdle and brassiere were the only garments on the body. Strips of sheeting bound the arms and a slip held the legs together. The blood-clotted brown hair was done up in metal curlers.

Examination of the body at the county morgue revealed no exterior wound, Dr. Frank Webb reported. The autopsy surgeon said a test for poison would be made.

Japanese Fleet Commander Dies In Plane Crash

Tokyo Announces Death of Koga

[By The Associated Press]

NEW YORK, May 5 — Admiral Mineichi Koga, commander of the combined Japanese fleet, was killed in action on an undisclosed front in March—the second Japanese fleet chief to die in action within a year—and has been succeeded by the colorless Admiral Soemu Toyoda, the Tokyo high command announced today.

An imperial headquarters communique recorded by United States government monitors said that Koga had "died at his post in March of this year while directing operations from an airplane at the front."

Two Cases Similar

It bore a striking similarity to the Tokyo communique of May 21, 1943, announcing the death of the former fleet chief, Admiral Isoroku Yamamoto, in a warplane the previous April.

Yamamoto, who once boasted that he would dictate the peace terms in the White House, was known as the man who torpedoed the London naval conference in 1934 and planned the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor. Tokyo indicated last year that he died a spectacular death "on the very front lines in the south," in the midst of a naval engagement.

Exactly where Admiral Koga met his death was not disclosed in today's communique. However, on March 29 powerful American naval forces made a surprise attack on Palau island, within 460 nautical miles of the Philippines, and a large force of Japanese warships was reported to have fled the area at the time.

Location Not Given

There were no other major engagements during March at which the Japanese fleet was reported in the vicinity, although throughout the month Japanese bases in the Wewak sector of New Guinea were subjected to relentless aerial assault.

Another possibility was that Koga may have been in the vicinity of Truk, in the Carolinas, an area hit by land-based American bombers on March 15 and again by a task force simultaneously with the Palau raid.

Koga, who was 59, was generally regarded as a sound but not brilliant naval officer noted for his tenacity. He was overshadowed by the exploits of his predecessor, Yamamoto.

Costello Protests Housing of 800 Japs in Brooklyn Hotel

WASHINGTON, May 5 (AP)—Rep. Costello (D-Calif.) protested to the House today that on May 10 the War Relocation Authority plans to open a three-story hotel building in Brooklyn to house 800 Japanese—"within the shadow of the Brooklyn navy yard."

"It seems to me very ill-advised that they should be located alongside such a strategic installation," he said.

Bartolo Retains Boxing Title

BOSTON, May 5 (AP)—Sal Bartolo, the polished Boston featherweight made his first successful defense of his national boxing association title tonight by defeating Phil Terranova, of New York, in a dockyard brawl before 7,673 at Boston Garden. The champion weighed 126, while Terranova scaled 125½.

SEABEES TAKE ON A SIDE LINE



DISCARDED AS USELESS, an ice cream manufacturing unit on Guadalcanal was salvaged and put into order by the Seabees and now is turning out the flavorful confection for the unit to which they're attached. The staff of the new "catering" firm are (l. to r.) W. C. Lawless, Bessemer, Ala.; J. N. Tuttle, Pelham, N. Y.; H. G. Hohenhaner, St. Paul, Minn.; L. O. Sullivan, Washington, D. C., and W. C. Stephens, Washington, D. C. In front is H. C. Lilley, Columbia, Pa.

Yugoslavs Take Western Bosnia

Partisans Report Major Victories

LONDON, May 5 (AP)—Yugoslav troops have thrown a siege cordon around Mironjgrad in Western Bosnia, Marshal Josip Broz (Tito) declared today, and a separate broadcast asserted the Partisans in a series of victories also had cut off the port of Split and surrounded Zagreb, Yugoslavia's second city.

Enemy troops at Mironjgrad, seventy-five northwest of Sarajevo, are offering strong resistance, the army of liberation communique said.

The Free Yugoslav radio also reported unofficially that German and Ustachi troops had been isolated in the Dalmatian port of Split, just above a cluster of Adriatic islands that provide stepping stones from Italy into Yugoslavia.

Some of these islands already are apparently in Allied hands, with Partisan landings under Allied warship support reported in the last ten days on Korcula and Milet, two of the important islands in this chain.

The broadcast said the enemy in Split was becoming short of food and that his supplies were cut off also at Zagreb, 150 miles farther north.

Judy Garland Brings Suit for Divorce

LOS ANGELES, May 5 (AP)—Screen singer Judy Garland filed suit today for divorce from Dave Rose on the grounds of incompatibility. They eloped three years ago and were married in Nevada.

Miss Garland's attorney said the couple made a property settlement last night, each signing a quit claim to property belonging to the other.

Governor-Elect Wins LAFAYETTE Contest

JIMMIE DAVIS, Louisiana governor-elect, author of 300 "hillbilly" tunes, and sometime radio crooner and cinema actor revealed another talent at the Peace Officers' Association meeting here.

Competing with police officers from all over the state, he took first place and a war bond in the pistol shooting contest.

10,000 U. S. Airmen Prisoners in Germany

STOCKHOLM, May 5 (AP)—At least 10,000 American airmen are prisoners of war in Germany, the Scandinavian telegraph bureau reported today in a dispatch from Berlin. They parachuted or crash-landed after battles over the Reich and occupied territory.

Mrs. Roosevelt Helps Weed Flower Beds

WASHINGTON, May 5 (AP)—The White House gardening force is getting help these days—from Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt.

She is helping to weed flower beds.

Wall of Water Menacing Nazi Port of Pescara

Liberators Raid Invasion Coast

By GAYLE TALBOT

Associated Press War Editor

Allied fighter-bombers cracked open the great Pescara dam near the Adriatic sea in central Italy yesterday and sent a wall of floodwater rushing toward the Nazi-held seaport of Pescara, nineteen miles away.

The brilliant operation, threatening chaos to German defenses which have blocked the Allies for months just below Pescara, came while Berlin broadcasters were warning that the Allies were preparing to launch a new offensive in Italy in coordinating with Gen. Eisenhower's invasion from the west.

Blast Rail Yards

Simultaneously with the dam-bursting, American heavy bombers from Italy tore up rail yards at Ploesti and at Turni-Severin in Rumania and struck Podgorica in Yugoslavia. Budapest, capital of Hungary, still smoked from a heavy RAF assault Thursday night.

From Britain several hundred United States Liberators crossed the channel just after daylight and pounded away at German defenses to keep the "air invasion" rocking along through its twenty-first straight day. For the third straight day the bombers and escorting fighters returned without loss.

Later Thunderbolt fighter-bombers snarled rail yards at Valenciennes and Somain in Northern France and RAF mediums pounded Cambrai, another important rail hub.

The Axis-controlled Paris and Luxembourg radios shut down tonight, indicating a resumption of Allied night activity over the continent.

Gale Halts Bombing

British based Allied planes delivered four sharp cross-channel punches in the four hours before 9:30 a. m. before a gale temporarily halted the systematic destruction of Germany's coastal fortifications and supporting traffic routes.

Four German fighters were shot down by Canadian Spitfire pilots, and one Spitfire was missing out of several hundred Allied sorties flown during the day.

Canadian-manned Mosquito bombers on an offensive patrol over Northern France tonight attacked and severely damaged several parked enemy aircraft, an R.C.A.F. communique said.

The Allies have attacked over 100 Axis rail junctions in a little more than two months, ripping out great sections of "second front" tracks, wrecking rolling stock and destroying repair shops so vital to Germany's over-worked transport system.

Budapest Attacked

The multiple blows by the Allied Mediterranean force followed an attack Thursday night on Hungary's capital at Budapest and an assault the night before on Bucharest, Rumanian capital. German broadcasts said the raids on Romania today touched off sharp combats between defending German fighters and American bombers.

Naples dispatches said the Rakos rail yards at Budapest, one of the Axis transport bottlenecks for supplies sent to the Russian front, still were smoldering today after last night's assault by RAF Halifaxes and Wellingtons based in Italy.

Four Mediterranean command planes were lost out of 1,100 sorties, or individual flights, during yesterday and last night.

U. S. Armed Forces To Spend Huge Sum for Secret Rocket Weapons

WASHINGTON, May 5 (AP)—Military plans for rush production of newly-developed, highly secret rocket weapons were revealed today and congressional leaders promised speedy action to provide the necessary funds.

A House Naval committee report said the armed forces plan to spend \$35,000,000 for expanded manufacture of the weapons because of "great demand" for them.

No details about the guns of their method of operation were contained in the report.

The committee recommended appropriation of \$65,000,000 for naval ordnance and included a statement from the navy that \$15,000,000 would be used along with \$20,000,000

Hershey Predicts Delay in Draft Of Older Men

BALTIMORE, May 5 (AP) — A prediction that the supply of draftable men under 26 probably would last until early fall, beyond the expected July deadline, came today from Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, national selective service director.

Recent draft calls had been lower than expected and rejections were fewer, Hershey said in an interview. The director's talk before the joint conference of the National Guard and Adjutant-Generals Associations of the United States was off the record.

Drum Expresses Views

Maj. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, head of the New York state national guard, told the meeting that "to be strong militarily we must have a universal selective service system in

this country" and under such a system "there must be equality of service and treatment. No half-hearted approach will be acceptable."

Drum recommended that the universal system be made applicable to all youths upon reaching the age of 18 except those "beyond rehabilitation." He urged retention of the present system of the regular army, the national guard and reserve units be urged legislation to facilitate its operation.

Asks Training for Boys

All physically fit young men, he said, should be made obligated for five years service—one year in the regular army, two years of refresher training with the national guard or reserves and two years in what he termed the federal reserve.

Under his program, the refresher training would include three hours weekly plus a fifteen-day annual encampment. The federal reserve training, he said, would include two hours a month and one fifteen-day field period.

Drum estimated that about 900,000 physically-fit youths reach 18 each year and by the end of the five-year period, 4,000,000 would be in service.

Russia Issues Third War Loan Offering

MOSCOW, May 5 (AP) — The Soviet government has issued its third war loan offering of 25,000,000 rubles in bonds and lottery tickets, more than doubling the amount sought in its last loan drive. (The nominal value of the ruble is nineteen cents but accurate conversion into American money figures is impossible because of the lack of an open market.)

Russia's first national war loan, set at 10,000,000,000 rubles, drew 13,186,000,000 while the second, fixed at 12,000,000,000, brought in 20,323,000,000 rubles in a week.

Many Forest Fires

ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 5 (AP) — State Forester Joseph F. Kaylor says that many Marylanders are still unaware of forest and brush fire hazards, stating that many fires in areas throughout the state had been reported this week supporting his contention.



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Realistic Postwar Federal Taxation

SOMETHING LIKE twenty billion dollars a year will be required for several years to operate the federal government after the war, provided, of course, that the war does not drag out too long. That is around three times as much as the government has ever raised in revenue in a peacetime year, and it is a sobering prospect.

Disaster will be courted if the government is allowed to go on spending more than it takes in, as has been the case for the last fourteen years, or if it attempts to squeeze the twenty billions or more a year from a depressed, unemployment-ridden economy with tax rates so high that they would increase depression and unemployment.

The gloomy prospect, however, is not hopeless if the government can start reducing its enormous debt instead of enlarging it, and, of course, take care of the carrying charges on it, but it can do this only if the country is prosperous and the national income is kept at a high and healthy level.

It is good to note, therefore, that Republicans in the House of Representatives are looking intelligently and realistically to that end. They have a special committee, headed by Representative Daniel A. Reed, of New York, studying all phases of federal taxation with special emphasis on the postwar era. It is the intention, Reed says, to draft a bill that will encourage investments in productive, job-creating enterprises so that the country can prosper and the governments can raise the revenues necessary without going deeper into debt or impoverishing the people.

That this can be done has been made clear by the Baruch-Hancock report, which urged Congress to draft a postwar tax law now and lay it on the shelf to go into effect at the end of the war. The very knowledge of its existence would be an encouragement for business and industry to plan ahead for the launching of new enterprises and the expansion of existing ones.

But in order to stimulate enterprise and business volume, tax rates must be so reasonable as to constitute an inducement instead of an impediment. Past experience has shown that a greater yield can be obtained through low tax rates than from high rates for the simple reason that the lower rates will stimulate a high volume of production, which will be necessary if we are to avoid depression and unemployment, while the high rates will not.

House Republicans are proving themselves smarter than the Democrats, who under the venerable Chairman Robert L. Doughton, of the Ways and Means committee, are doing nothing but thinking up excuses for doing nothing at all about a postwar taxing law.

Another Weird Idea Of the Bureaucrats

TRUST the bureaucratic mind to conjure up more form-filling schemes. That means more desk work and a further excuse to advance an office into higher pay by adding "more jobholders." The latest scheme has been announced from the office of Col. J. M. Johnson, head of the O. D. T., in the form of a little school-boy pledge designed as a travel curb.

People who travel this summer will be asked to sign a slip of paper stating that their trip is necessary. They are to do this when they buy their tickets and unless they sign they won't be able to get their tickets.

It is to laugh. Those who are making what are deemed unnecessary trips in the face of government urging that they refrain from doing so are not going to call them off just because they have to sign a pledge. The unnecessary traveler will go right ahead and sign. And what boots it for a patriotic citizen who makes only necessary trips to sign such a pledge?

So, servicemen and their relatives, business men and others with a legitimate reason for traveling will continue to suffer inconveniences and fail to get accommodations just the same as ever, only these and the chiselers as well as the overworked railroad employees will suffer the additional annoyance and time loss of filling out the pledges.

What will Col. Johnson's office do with all the pledges? Why, when they are collected they will have to be classified and filed, and some more jobholders will, of course, have to do that as it wouldn't be polite to have it done by those engaged in resting their feet on desks. The bureaucratic mind will take care of that, so ordinary citizens need not worry about it.

Senator McKellar Tells Them Off

SENATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES in Washington give every indication of being fed up with the attacks of a pair of columnists and radio "commentators" whose chief stock in trade is calling every member of Congress who favors the American form of government a traitor, and whose devotion to the fourth term is abject, to say the least. One of this pair has been termed a chronic liar by the president, but continues to maintain his favorite stance of licking the hand that smacks him down.

Senator McKellar, of Tennessee, a Democrat, stood up the other day and castigated one of these worthies in a manner that was a joy to behold. If a newspaper said of this bird what McKellar said, it would be plastered with libel suits, for this pair seems to be plentifully supplied with money. The senator's speech was in reply to tripe this mudslinger had dished out about him personally.

Among other things, McKellar called him "an ignorant, blundering, lying ass... a pusillanimous, peewee, infamous, dirty, lowdown, mean liar... a character assassin... a revolting, unmitigated, low-lived, double-crossing, corrupt scoundrel... blackguard... crook... a despicable, corrupt, dishonorable, groveling, low-life skunk."

Well, a congressman can tell them off. He has congressional immunity. But sometimes, watching these defamers of Congress at work, an editor wishes he, too, had immunity. Congress may have faults, but Congress is about all that is left of the traditional American form of government.

Accurate Living-Cost Score Is Desirable

ANOTHER ATTEMPT is being made to ascertain the wartime increase in the cost of living. Exhaustive studies have already been made by the federal Bureau of Labor Statistics, the OPA, the CIO and others but all of them have come up with different answers. Because of the variance in their findings, suspicions have obtained that each of them decided first what they wanted to find and then made their findings conform.

The latest effort has been placed in the hands of a committee appointed by the president, headed by William H. Davis, chairman of the War Labor Board, which is to make a definitive report on the subject. Davis has appointed an advisory committee to sift the conflicting information that may be brought in by the president's committee.

It is to be hoped that a reasonable answer may come from this final report with authoritative factual backing in place of vague estimate. Such a report would be a valuable contribution even if those who want their percentages their own way will pick and choose from the different reports. At any rate, the country will be able to join more readily in holding the line against inflation if the people have some dependable idea as to just what the score is.

Hitler Needs a Super Dunninger

THE NEATEST TRICK of the week is called for in an order by Adolf Hitler to all German military leaders. The order informed the commanders that any Allied surprise in the opening stages of the forthcoming invasion "must be prevented at all costs." The only way in which the Nazis can completely eliminate the element of surprise is to discover the exact nature of the Allied plans.

If that is the meaning of the Hitler order, it calls for quite a lot of doing. It means solving the most carefully guarded secret of the war. It's an order the German military leaders unquestionably would like to obey. But willingness to obey and actual obedience are two different things. What Hitler needs is a super Dunninger.

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Executive Power A Likely Element In the Ward Case

By MARK SULLIVAN

On Monday, in Chicago, a federal court will hand down a decision in the Montgomery Ward case. The decision will be on a limited aspect of the case—an application by Attorney General Biddle for an injunction, to restrain officials of the Ward company from interfering with operation of the plant by the government.

Nevertheless, the coming decision is likely to bear upon the fundamental issue which underlies the case. This issue is: Did the president have the power to seize the Ward plant, involving seizure of the person of Ward's head, by armed troops?

Attorney General Biddle asserts the president had power to seize the Ward plant. He bases the alleged power on two grounds. The first is a law passed by Congress—the so-called Smith-Connally act, officially the War Labor Disputes act. But, after citing this act as justification, Mr. Biddle backs away from it. He says: "It is not necessary . . . to rely solely upon the provisions of . . . the War Labor Disputes act." And again: "Even in the absence of the War Labor Disputes act . . ."

Reasons Not Given

For not relying wholly on the War Labor Disputes act, Mr. Biddle did not state his reasons. He was not called on to—he could have any reasons he chose. But some of them may be surmised. One might be that sponsors and supporters of this act in Congress may say it was not their intention that the law should justify such a step as the President's seizure of the Ward plant.

After backing away from the War Labor Disputes act, Mr. Biddle proceeded to base his justification for seizure of the Ward plant on an extraordinary assertion of presidential power—one which, if sustained, will have momentous consequences.

"Even in the absence of . . . the War Labor Disputes act," Mr. Biddle said, "I believe that by the . . . aggregate of your powers as chief executive and commander-in-chief, you could lawfully take possession of and operate Montgomery Ward and Company, if you found it necessary to do so to prevent injury to the country's war effort."

Seizure Anticipated

This quotation is from the opinion Mr. Biddle delivered to the president in advance of seizure of the Ward plant—and therefore before, presumably, he contemplated that seizing the Ward plant would involve seizing the person of the plant's head. But this is not material. Subsequent to the seizure, Mr. Biddle in his application to the court for an injunction, repeated the same assertion in effect, and added: "No business or property is immune to a presidential order." And Mr. Biddle uttered an extraordinary admonition to the court about its duty, the relation of the courts to the executive: "Particularly in time of war the court should not substitute its judgment for that of the executive."

Mr. Biddle's assertion about the "aggregate" of the president's power in war time and the whole of his statements and action, justify a remarkable interpretation. It would mean that upon the outbreak of war, the president would have unlimited powers; that he would not need to rely upon any grant of power from Congress; that as respects conduct of the war Congress might as well suspend functioning. And conduct of the war may be construed by a president or an attorney general to include anything the president judges it to include. In effect, upon outbreak of war, the constitutional safeguards of the person and property of citizens would be suspended.

Contrary Doctrine

There is a contrary doctrine. It is rooted in one of the great key cases of American law and government—the decision of the supreme court in the Milligan case. During the Civil War, Milligan, a civilian, was seized by the army, tried by an army court and sentenced to death. Thereupon Milligan appealed to the civil courts, ultimately to the supreme court—which said that under the circumstances of the Milligan case, there is a contrary doctrine. It is rooted in one of the great key cases of American law and government—the decision of the supreme court in the Milligan case. During the Civil War, Milligan, a civilian, was seized by the army, tried by an army court and sentenced to death. Thereupon Milligan appealed to the civil courts, ultimately to the supreme court—which said that under the circumstances of the Milligan case, there is a contrary doctrine.

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Let's Have a Showdown

From the New York Daily News

A lot of people are hoping that the president's health will keep him from running for a fourth term. We don't feel that way. We hope he is well enough to run, and will run.

The issue in this presidential campaign is not Roosevelt the man. The issue is Roosevelt the politician, and Roosevelt's policies, both foreign and domestic. His foreign policies are internationalist, world-state, with America footing the bill. His domestic policies look toward totalitarianism for the United States—the Great Brain running us all. A fourth term for himself, and perhaps a fifth.

What is needed is a showdown between these policies and a set of pro-American policies. Engaged in this showdown should be Roosevelt himself, as the strongest advocate of his policies, against the strongest candidate the Republicans can put up. If Roosevelt then loses, there can be no justifiable abiding that most Americans approve of Mr. Roosevelt and his policies and would have continued them if he had run.

Dewey looks like the strongest possible Republican candidate for several reasons. For one, and maybe the most important, he has shown himself several times to be a run-away vote-getter in his own state of New York—which has forty-seven electoral votes and has more than once been the decisive factor in Presidential elections.

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Wallace Is Now Believed To Have Inside Track for Vice-Presidential Nomination

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, May 5.—With all the talk about the so-called strength of the southerners in the Democratic party, the word is being passed out that none of their number will be considered for the vice-presidential nomination and that Henry Wallace, has the inside track for second place on the ticket.

President Roosevelt is represented as having indicated to Mr. Wallace that no effort would be made to interfere with the choice by the party of a running mate and that he would leave it to the delegates. But the delegates are for the most part hand-picked New Dealers and the line-up at the present moment is for Vice President Wallace.

Speaker Rayburn, who is the logical man to be the vice-presidential nominee, has been discarded. It seems he comes from Texas, and to nominate a man from Texas after the way that state reacted to the recent Supreme court decision concerning negro voting is supposed to be bad politics for any Democrat especially with the negro vote such a pivotal factor in the northern states.

Byrnes Dumped Too

Mr. Rayburn has served the administration well these many years, but it has not gotten him anywhere. The same may be said of James Byrnes, the director of economic mobilization, who is one of the outstanding men in the Democratic party. But he comes from South Carolina, and that's supposed to be a bad state for political domicile so far as they aptly nomination is concerned.

Another man who has done the president's bidding is Paul McNutt. He stepped out of the way gracefully at the last Democratic national convention when, if he had not nodded his head, he could have had the vice-presidential nomination instead of Mr. Wallace. But Mr. Roosevelt didn't want him and wanted Mr. Wallace, so, like an obedient servant, Mr. McNutt urged the convention to forget about him and follow the party leader.

Senator Truman, of Missouri, has been mentioned as a possible nominee. He hails from Missouri and is rather popular with his colleagues in the senate. But the White House is believed to be behind Mr. Wallace and that's about all there is to it.

Republicans Not Disturbed

The Republicans are not at all disturbed by it. They think Henry Wallace would be a handicap to Mr. Roosevelt in a fourth-term campaign. Recently with the circulation of rumors that the president's health is failing, the selection of a vice-presidential nominee might be thought to be a very important matter. The president is in good health and will come back from his vacation much refreshed and physically strengthened. But the country will probably think more than they ever have before about who will occupy the presidential chair in the event of a turn in the hand of fate. And if Mr. Wallace is to be voted upon as a possible president some day, the chances are the Democrats will lose some support.

As a matter of fact, the popular impression of Henry Wallace does not coincide with the impressions that those who have worked with him offer in his defense. They argue that while Wallace is not the most graceful kind of speaker or the most tactful, he has a certain innate integrity which would make him a better balanced president in some respects than others who have occupied that post.

But however that may be, the fact is that the members of Congress who fight the battles for the administration—men like Senator Barkley, Speaker Rayburn, former Senator Byrnes and Senator Truman—do not seem to be in the running. Henry Wallace, who never served the Democratic party before he was appointed secretary of agriculture by President Roosevelt, is in top favor for second place.

The Southern Democrats have just about been edged out of the control of the party. They have some important committee chairmanships, but that's about all. In the forthcoming national convention they will no longer hold the veto power as they used to under the two-thirds rule. Some of them have fought the New Deal rather vigorously and have discovered that their true power lies in a coalition with the Republicans to make a majority in either the Senate or the House. The administration certainly has given the southerners the brush-off where the vice-presidential nomination is concerned but, as for bolting the party and following the suggestion of Senator Ed Smith for a separate electoral vote, it is doubtful whether the southerners would venture to try such a program.



Henry Wallace

Many Big Shots Join Democrats In Revolt Move

By SAMUEL B. PETTINGILL

The American Democratic National Committee, organized by Harry H. Woodring, former secretary of war, has completed its organization. It is doing much more than is being made public. Prominent Democrats are on its national board. They include men who have held office as governors of Missouri, Arkansas, and Michigan, congressmen from Iowa and New York, a United States senator from Missouri, the attorney general of Oklahoma, a solicitor of the Post Office department, the secretary of state of Iowa, and the present secretary of agriculture in Texas.

The committee is known to have the active support of southern governors and former governors who, for the present, prefer to work behind the scenes. These men are not amateurs in politics.

Many are close friends of Jim Farley, former National and now New York state chairman. What Mr. Farley will do in the event of a fourth term race is not known. At the present time, he is maintaining his party regularity in the hope that Mr. Roosevelt will not run and in that event he hopes to help rebuild the party on Jeffersonian lines.

Distinguishing Name

They say that they chose the name "American" to distinguish themselves from the New Deal Democratic party now using European methods to establish control of the economic life of the country by a political machine from one central point.

Members of the committee are known to be favorable to the nomination of Senator Byrd, of Virginia, or Senator O'Daniel, of Texas, for president. A ticket of Byrd and Farley is much discussed. Recently, Byrd Democrats from five states gathered at Memphis, Tenn., and heard a rip-roaring anti-New Deal speech by former governor Mike Connor, of Mississippi.

There are at least eight Southern governors and ex-governors who have become openly critical of the New Deal. Five sitting Democratic United States senators have declared their open opposition to a fourth term. The number who are actually opposed is much greater.

No Third Party Likely

Whether the American Democratic National Committee will support a third party ticket in the event of Mr. Roosevelt's renomination, or throw their strength to the Republican nominees, remains to be seen. My guess is the latter. State election laws make it much more difficult to organize a third party than in 1912 when T.R. ran as a Bull Moose, or even twenty years ago when LaFollette and Wheeler got fifty-four per cent as many votes as John W. Davis and carried Wisconsin.

This revolt of the Jeffersonian Democrats cannot be laughed off. Relatively, their strength may be small in comparison with the total accumulated by the New Dealers plus old line Democrats who think they must "go along." The fact remains that a loss of only five, or even three or two per cent, of the vote might defeat Mr. Roosevelt. For example, in 1940, he carried Illinois by a margin of only 95,694 out of a total vote of 4,190,274; Ohio by 146,366 out of 3,329,912; and New York state by 224,440 out of 6,279,396. In New York he actually ran 192,978 votes behind Willkie and was saved only by 417,000 votes of the American Labor Party, now torn in shreds over the question of communistic control.

Revolt Greater Now

Of course, many opposed to a fourth term were also opposed to a third term in 1940. But few will question that the revolt within the party is greater now than then.

If the Republican party has the good sense to write into its platform a reaffirmation of what it wrote into its first platform in 1856, and its second platform in 1860 when it elected its first president, it would go far to win the support of at least five Democrats out of 100. When the party was Lincolnian, and before it adopted the Hamiltonian philosophy of centralizing power in Washington, it pledged itself to "restore the federal government to the principles of Washington and Jefferson." The fact that the Republican party started its great career as a Jeffersonian party has been forgotten too much and too long by too many.

It might also include the Democratic platform of 1932. It is as good as new!



S. B. Pettingill

Factographs

Modern library methods began with the rule of St. Benedict, early in the sixth century.

Bessarabia is about as large as New Hampshire and Massachusetts combined.

Frogs have no breathing muscle, and must swallow air.

Elephants like onions as much as they do peanuts.

Morning Motto

To be a philosopher is not merely to have subtle thoughts; but so to love wisdom as to live according to its dictates.—THOREAU.

39 Garrett Men To Leave Monday For Physical Tests

All but Nine of Second May Contingent Are Fathers

OAKLAND, May 5 — Thirty nine selectees have been ordered to report Sunday night, May 7, to the local Selective Service board at Oakland, to be sent to the induction station in Baltimore for physical examination on Monday.

Those accepted will be returned to their homes and will be subject to call after twenty-one days. All but nine of the group are listed as fathers.

This is the second call for men during May, another group having reported here Tuesday night. No official report has been received in regard to the number accepted.

Those scheduled to leave Sunday night include:

Jacob A. Holtschneider, Deer Park; Carl Burton Gough, Kitzmiller; Verlyn Roy Carr, McHenry; Bruce K. Switzer, Swanton; James Rance King, Mt. Lake Park; Carlton Austin Barnard, Accident; Robert O'Brien Liller, Mt. Lake Park; Henry August Schmidt, Oakland; William Elwood Conn, Vindex; Warren Robert Tiethe, Bloomington; Murrel Elwood Nedrow, Selbyport.

Irene Abraham Liller, Mt. Lake Park; Ellis Lambert Harvey, Swanton; Donald Lee Moorehead, Bloomington; Charles Edgar Spiker, Frostburg; Hobart Morgan Reall, Germantown; Carl Lester Callis, Mt. Lake Park; Harvey Frank Uphole, Oakland; Charles West Baker, Crellin; Charles Lewis Mersing, Crellin; Joseph Ernest Werner, Frostburg; Ralph Hamilton Weeks, Crellin; Glen William Fritz, Accident.

Lawrence Edward Welch, Oakland; Edward Andrew Spiker, Oakland; George Wilson Montgomery, Kempton; Clarence William Tasker, Shalimar; Wallace Eugene Hedges, Hutton; John Wesley Harvey, Kitzmiller; Ronald David Lindsay, Oakland; William Howard Clary, Deer Park; Charles Nichols Peran, Shalimar; Paul Thomas Hetrick, Grantsville; Elwood Charles Edgar, McHenry; John Boyd Schenk, Oakland; Marshall Moss, Jr., McHenry; James Tunney Adams, Oakland; Lester Raymond Edgar, McHenry.

Oakland Will Have Canning Center

A community canning program, similar to the one carried on in Friendsville last year, is to be inaugurated in Oakland this summer. It was announced by Franklin E. Rathbun, county superintendent of schools.

The program is made possible through funds furnished by the federal government and will be under the general direction of Mr. Rathbun, with direction supervision by O. T. Graser, vo-ag instructor at Oakland, and also co-ordinator of the War Training program in Garrett county.

At a meeting of school officials, home economics teachers and a few interested citizens, the set-up was explained by James R. Ward of the state department of education. Charles B. Miller and Mrs. Iva Rush, Friendsville, told how the project succeeded in that area last year.

John J. Seidel, assistant state superintendent for vocational education, has called a food production war training conference in Baltimore on Saturday, May 13, which Rathbun and Graser will attend, at which time further information on the canning project will be obtained and a program for the summer months set up.

Rathbun said the program would be carried on in the building on Eighth street, used for war training classes, starting about July 10. Any interested individual is allowed to bring material there to can, either in jars or cans, and there is no charge for anything except for cans purchased. He pointed out that the community method is quicker, more economical and in many cases homemakers realized better preservation of food. A trained person

will be in charge who would instruct inexperienced canners if desired, he said.

Dental Defects Noted

Seventy-six percent of the junior and senior students in the five high schools of the county have defective teeth, it was announced following a dental inspection conducted here a few days ago by Dr. Richard C. Leonard, of the state department of health.

A total of 390 students were examined. Ninety-three or twenty-four percent were without defects but 297 or seventy-six percent had defects. Conditions in Oakland and Accident are representative of general conditions, according to Dr. T. R. Shrop, county health officer, while examinations in Kitzmiller, Friendsville, and Grantsville schools indicated a much more serious condition.

Dr. Shrop concluded that it was still "timely to follow the old advice—to see your dentist twice a year."

Harold Miley Weds Miss Elaine Kessel

By MYRTLE PARK
PETERSBURG, W. Va., May 5—Announcement has been received here of the marriage of Miss Elaine Kessel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evers E. Kessel, Gettysburg, Pa., to Pfc. Harold Miley, United States Marine Corps, Brooklyn, N. Y., now stationed at the naval depot in Mechanicsburg, Pa., where they were united in marriage on April 19 in a ceremony performed in the Catholic rectory.

Mrs. Miley formerly lived here for a number of years before going to Gettysburg with her parents three years ago and attended Petersburg high school. They will reside in Mechanicsburg, Pa.

Personals

W. V. Parker, Fayetteville, Pa., is here visiting relatives for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harr, Mt. Jackson, Va., are here spending several days visiting relatives.

Mrs. Nora May, Cumberland, is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Harman.

Mrs. Blaine Schaffer and daughter, are visiting Mrs. W. T. Hanlin, Bayard, this week.

Pfc. Virgil Eskridge, has advised his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Eskridge that his address is now in Care of the Postmaster San Francisco, Cal., where he is in the Marines.

Seaman Emory Feaster, who has been stationed in the navy in South America, is here visiting his brother, Eston K. Feaster and wife.

W. T. Hanlin, Bayard, who underwent an operation in the Memorial hospital, Cumberland, is improving.

Mrs. Norvel Weese, Marysville, went to the hospital at Harrisonburg, Va., yesterday.

Mrs. Marie Hartman is in Cumberland visiting Miss Merl Day this week.

Mrs. William Kemp and Mrs. Louella Shreve have returned from Cumberland.

John Harman, Riverton, who has been here visiting his daughter, Mrs. H. P. Groves returned home yesterday.

T-4 Ralph Getz, Camp Pickett, Va., son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Getz, has been sent over sea he has informed his parents recently.

Electrolytic plate during wartime has replaced dipped plate for canning a large percentage of food products.

The Mississippi river and its tributaries drain nineteen states, or about two-fifths the area of the United States.

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by Laura Wheeler

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Personals

Shirley Hendrickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hendrickson, LaVale, is reported slightly improved last evening at Allegany hospital, where she has been seriously ill since April 30. She underwent an operation May 1 and a blood transfusion May 3. Her aunt, Miss Edna Northcraft, director of nurses at Memorial hospital, Lakeland, Fla., arrived here last evening.

Pvt. Thomas Griffin returned to Walter Reed hospital, Washington, D. C., Wednesday after visiting Mrs. Griffin at their home, 905 Fayette street.

Mrs. E. H. Layman, Butler, Pa., formerly of Cumberland, is improving at 314 Pulaski street, following an operation at Memorial hospital.

Pfc. and Mrs. R. O. Layman, Fort Belvoir, Va., are visiting Mrs. Charles E. Schultz, 104 Wood street, Frostburg. Pvt. Layman has a seven day leave.

Miss Rhea Griffin, Greene street, and her brother Sgt. Dennis Ambrose Griffin, Miami, Fla., are visiting their brother, John Griffin, in Akron, O.

O. M. Marquis, Cumberland street, is improving in Memorial hospital, where he has been a patient for the past couple weeks.

Mrs. Ruth Randolph Browne North Smallwood street, has taken her son, Hugh, Katherine Hitt and Louis Everstine sightseeing in Washington, D. C., over the weekend, in celebration of the latter's eleventh birthday.

Pvt. Vance E. Potter, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Potter, 350 Greene street, has returned to Fort Devos, Mass., after visiting his parents.

Dr. and Mrs. Jared Kerlin, Des Moines, Iowa, are guests of the former's brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Robert T. Kerlin, 613 Memorial avenue.

Pfc. John W. T. Kreitzburg returned to Camp Forrest, Tenn., after spending a twelve-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Kreitzburg, Baltimore Pike.

Lt. Mary Louise Conroy, Army Nursing Corps, Coral Gables, Fla., is home on leave at 4 Altamont terrace.

Cpl. Paul M. Crabtree returned to Camp McCoy, Wis., after spending a fourteen-day furlough with his wife, two children and parents, Williams road, Mrs. Crabtree and daughter, Carol, accompanied her husband to Wisconsin.

Pvt. Richard K. Gordon, Tinker Field, Oklahoma City, Okla., is on furlough at his home, 514 Frederick street.

Mrs. Howard B. Twigg, Siebert, Md., is visiting relatives and friends in Pittsburgh, Homestead and Donora, Pa.

Pvt. William J. Robertson spent a thirteen-day furlough with his wife, son and parents at 1040 Myrtle street, while enroute from Camp Croft, S. C., to Fort George G. Meade, after completing basic training at Camp Croft.

Sgt. Donald L. Hinkle, United States Marine Corps, is spending fifteen-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hinkle, 8 Virginia avenue. Sgt. Hinkle, who recently completed flight training at Edenton, N. C., will report to Cherry Point, N. C., at the expiration of his furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cannizzaro, Brooklyn, N. Y., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Patsy Itoni, 242 Columbia street, and other local relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Cannizzaro are newlyweds.

Pvt. Paul Rodecap has returned to Camp Beale, Calif., after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rodecap, Bedford road.

Pvt. Neal G. Wilson has returned to Fort George G. Meade, after visiting his wife and son at their home, 329 Race street.

Pvt. James A. Bartlett, Jr., has returned to Camp Campbell, Ky., after spending a five-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Bartlett, Sr., Bedford road.

Pfc. Harold A. Huff, stationed with the army in Tennessee, and Pvt. Raymond C. Huff, Dallas, Texas, are spending furloughs with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huff, 44 Lamont street.

Pfc. Samuel DeLuca has arrived from Camp Lejeune, New River, N. C., to spend a short furlough with his family and friends.

Club Holds Meeting

Mrs. John Grindle, Westernport, was the guest entertainer at the meeting of the Progressive Young Women's Club of Potomac Valley, held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Mae Heimstetter, Rawlings. She presented three of her own poems, "Hide'n Go-Seek," "Baby Dear," and "Another Spring."

Mrs. H. M. Armstrong reported on the recent county council meeting. Red Cross sewing, sugar registration and the blood bank were also discussed. Following the meeting refreshments were served with Mrs. Carlton Helmick assisting the hostess.

Will Give Social

The Senior class of Catholic Girls Central high school will sponsor its weekly social in St. Patrick's Social hall this evening from 8 to 11 o'clock, with various games and dancing featuring the entertainment. A home made cake will be awarded the winner in the feature game.

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May Procession Will Be Held on Sunday

The annual May procession of St. Peter and Paul Catholic church will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening. A procession of the academy and grade school pupils from the school to the church will open the service. A sermon on "The Blessing of Virgin," will be given by the Rev. Ireaneus Reini, O. F. M. Cap., pastor.

Following the sermon the formal crowning of Miss Marjory Reinhard as May Queen will be held. Her attendants will be Miss Patricia Doerner and Miss Helen Bender.

The service will close with solemn benediction with Father Ireaneus officiating and Father Frederick, O. F. M., Cap., as deacon; and Father Luke, O. F. M., Cap., as sub-deacon.

Woman's Sport Club Will Give Social

The Woman's Sport Club will hold a "Mother and Daughter Social" on May 17 at Central Y.M.C.A. Plans were discussed at the meeting of the club last evening at the Y and it was decided that the social will follow a short business meeting; there will be an entertainment and refreshments.

All members desiring to bring their mothers with them are asked to make reservations with Mrs. Chester Everline, Mrs. James Hersh or Miss Louise Zilch.

Routine business was also transacted.

Bible Class Meets

A reverse order program was given by members of the Dorcas Bible class of Emmanuel Methodist church at the Mother's day program, earlier in the week.

Mrs. Anna Zimmerman the youngest member portrayed the great-grandmother; and Mrs. Mary Massey, the oldest member of the class took the part of the modern mother. Others taking part were Mrs. Alice Trout, Mrs. Lillie Burch, Mrs. Robert Maphis sang with Mrs. R. L. Wittig at the piano.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. John Brinkman and Mrs. Mary VanFleet.

Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses were issued to the following nine couples yesterday in the office of the clerk of circuit court:

Sylvester Earl Holland, Akron, Ohio, and Lois Lavone Gant, Cumberland.

Elmer Robert Gill and Mary Edna Hanley, Dry Run, Pa.

Harry Flinton Huffman, Flintstone, and Mary Treasa Morris, Cumberland.

Allan Edward Trevasz and Margaret Jane Frazee, Cumberland.

Forest Edward Nester, Ridgeley, W. Va., and Regina Shuckhart, Cumberland.

Clayton Merle Zembower, Cumberland, and Ruth Lee Taylor, LaVale.

Kosta Erosh and Anna Elczin, Pittsburgh, Pa.

James August Cappel and Mabel Gladys Brant, Somerset, Pa.

Events in Brief

The Woman's Guild of Emmanuel Episcopal church will hold a luncheon-meeting at 12:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the parish house, at which time the annual reports will be given.

The LaVale Homemakers club will meet at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the firemen's hall. The music will be led by Mrs. Edith Comp; Miss Maude Bean will be the speaker. Mrs. William Lee will be

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in charge of the recreation and Mrs. Claude Jett is program chairman. Mrs. J. C. Driver will preside.

The Allegany County Council of Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 8 o'clock Monday evening at the board of education office.

Mrs. Kenneth Wilson will be hostess to members of the Child Guidance Club at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening at her home, Bedford road.

The Ursuline Academy Alumni Association will meet at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening in the assembly room.

The Progressive Mothers Club will meet at 8 o'clock Monday evening at the Girl Scout little house.

The Ladies Auxiliary of Ancient Order of Hibernians, Unit 6, will meet at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening at the St. Patrick's Social Center.

The Yuhoddi Club will hold a 500 card party for the benefit of the cigar fund for convalescent ser-

vicemen, at 8 o'clock May 9 in the Odd Fellows hall, South Mechanic street.

Mrs. Jennie Morris, Mrs. Sarah Connor and Mrs. Geraldine Varner will be in charge.

McKinley Chapter No. 12 and Cumberland Chapter No. 56 Order of the Eastern Star will meet at 7:15 o'clock tomorrow evening in the lecture hall of the First Presbyterian church to attend service in a group.

Mrs. Iliia Gonzales was honored by several members of the Anoma Bible class of the First Baptist church at a surprise birthday party Thursday at her home, Dunbar drive.

Mrs. Bessie McGee entertained in honor of her daughter, Miss Catherine E. McGee, who left yesterday for the WACs. The party was held Wednesday at their home, Virginia avenue. Miss McGee will receive her basic training at Camp Oglethorpe, Ga.

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Local Soldier and Bride Are Visiting in City

Staff Sgt. Donald H. Rolley Married June Bunkley On April 8

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Donald H. Rolley, Sheppard field, Wichita Falls, Texas, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rolley, 575 Arnet terrace, this city. Sgt. Rolley has a two-week furlough.

Miss June Bunkley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Bunkley, Stamford, Texas, became the bride of Staff Sgt. Rolley on April 8.

The ceremony was solemnized at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon in Sacred Heart Catholic church in Abilene, which was elaborately decorated with Easter lilies, and candles, against a background of fern and palms. The single ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Henry Feiderhoff.

Mrs. J. D. Jones of Big Spring, elder sister of the bride, was matron of honor and her sister's only attendant. Pfc. John Samples of Birmingham, Ala., also stationed at

RECENT BRIDE



Mrs. Donald H. Rolley

Sheppard field, served as Sgt. Rolley's best man.

The bride was attired in a Lennox model, Fortsmann wool suit of caramel color with which she wore a blue blouse, blue feather half-hat and matching gloves. A corsage of bronze baby orchids completed her costume. For the traditional "something old," she carried a point-lace handkerchief, which her mother had carried at her wedding, and her only ornament was a gold and green flower pin with matching ear bobs, a gift of the bridegroom.

Her matron of honor wore a RAY blue wool suit, with white hat and gloves and black patent shoes. Her corsage was of white carnations.

The bride is a graduate of Stamford high school and was employed as chief clerk for the Agricultural Adjustment Agency at Archer City. For the past three years she has been in the AAA offices at Haskell and Archer City.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Allegany high school, this city, and prior to enlisting in the service, September 1941, he was a member of the editorial staff of the Cumberland Evening Times. After one week at Port George G. Meade he was transferred to Sheppard field.

Mr. and Mrs. Bunkley entertained with a wedding breakfast at their home, North Swenson avenue, immediately following the ceremony. Nasturtiums and yellow daisies decorated the table and lilies of the valley adorned the wedding cake.

Following a short wedding trip Sgt. and Mrs. Rolley made their home at 1417 Kemp boulevard, Wichita Falls.

Union Grove 4-H Girls Hold Meeting

The Union Grove 4-H Girls Club met last evening at the home of Margaret Robinson and Miss Margaret T. Loar, assistant home demonstration agent, read a letter from Miss Dorothy Emerson, state girls club agent, College Park, urging the girls to gather parts of the milkweed, which is used in making life jackets.

Food models and charts were used in planning meals for a week, and in the general discussion which followed it was pointed out that well planned meals should include meals for a week instead of by the day. The hostess also led the group in singing "Little Sir Echo" and "Sweet and Low." Following the meeting refreshments were served.

Jean Bowling will be hostess for the next meeting to be held at 7:30 o'clock June 6.

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Girl Scouts To Dedicate Honor Roll on May 19

The Cumberland Girl Scout Council has issued invitations to an "open house and dedication of the honor roll" at 7:30 o'clock May 19, at the little house.

The honor roll is for all local Girl Scouts, who are in any branch of the armed forces. Names appearing on the honor roll are: Pauline Fisher, who is in the WAC; Phyllis McElfish, Waves; Betty Minkie Spar; June Henry, Spar; Lieut. Frances D. Williams, A. N. C.; Nancy Robb, WAC; Eleanor Perry, recreational worker American Red Cross; Eleanor Thayer, WAC; Lieut. Virginia Wolfe, A. N. C.; Lieut. Mary Jane King, A. N. C.; Ina Lee Eichner, WAC; Fannie R. Wilson, Wave; and Anna Elizabeth Raupach, Wave.

Greetings will be extended by Mrs. Morris Barnes, commissioner. The program includes a play entitled "Wanted A Tenant," which will be presented by the Juliette Low group under the direction of Mrs. Wyand P. Doerner, chairman; the dedication service by Mrs. Orville L. Shirey, the first Girl Scout leader in Cumberland, and acceptance by Mrs. Karl Perry, who is an associate scout. Martha Murray, Kathryn Fleckenstein and Patricia Durst will form the color guard.

The play in three acts, represents three groups who apply to a land lord portrayed by Emily Doyle, to rent a house. The first group is turned down because it represents the "pleasure lovers," this group is portrayed by Jane Daugherty, Leslie Millenson, Anna Patrick, Shirley Brant, Virginia Mitchell, Carol Erdman and Amelia Smith.

The second group the "selfish group," is also turned down, and is portrayed by Patricia Minkie, Patricia Durst, Martha Murray, Kathryn Fleckenstein, and Elaine Erickson.

Finally the "homemakers" come and are accepted, they include Anna May Flery, Rhea Wageley, Betty Lou McLoughlin, Jane Witt, Patricia Kelly, Lee Greathouse, Delores Thomas, Cordell Murtha and Anna Davis.

An informal reception will follow the dedication service.

Mrs. Doerner has called a special meeting of the Juliette Low group for 3:30 o'clock May 19 at the little house.

Jacqueline Tower Will Be Married Here Today

Will Become Bride of Howard Ledbetter Evans, Jr., at 2:30 P. M.

Miss Jacqueline Louella Tower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger H. Tower, 676 Greene street, will become the bride of Edward Ledbetter Evans, Jr., 852 Greene street, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Evans, Murfreesboro, N. C., today.

The ceremony will be solemnized at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, with the Rev. William A. Eisenberger, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiating.

The bride will be attired in a navy blue street length costume, with which she will wear matching accessories and corsage of spring flowers, consisting of yellow daisies, blue iris and pink-orchid statice.

The bride is a graduate of Oakland high school, and while there was president of the Dramatic club; secretary of the Student Council, and copy editor of the school paper, besides being active in all sports. She is employed in the dye research laboratory at the Celanese Corporation of America.

Mr. Evans is a graduate of Murfreesboro high school; received his A. B. degree at Randolph Macon, Front Royal, Va., and majored in chemistry at Lenoir Rhyne, Hickory, N. C. He is employed as a chemist by the Celanese Corporation of America.

An informal reception will be held following the ceremony, and Mrs. E. Z. Tower, of Oakland, grandmother of the bride, will preside at the refreshment table, which will be centered with a tiered wedding cake and decorated with bouquets of white flowers.

The bride has chosen a light blue suit with dark blue accessories for traveling. Upon their return from a wedding trip to New York and Philadelphia the couple will reside on Kean terrace.

Engagement of Former Local Girl Revealed

The engagement of Miss Mildred Volk, to Corp. Joseph Caulfield, Port George G. Meade, son of Alfred Caulfield, Washington and the late Mrs. Fleda Simmons Caulfield, has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Volk, Washington, D. C., formerly of Braddock Farms, parents of the bride-elect.

Miss Volk is a graduate of Pennsylvania avenue high school, class of 1934 and Emergency Hospital School of Nursing, Washington, in 1937. Since completing her training she has been on the staff of the hospital, first being floor supervisor and at present is supervisor of the hospital blood bank.

Corp. Caulfield is a graduate of Leonard Hall school, Leonardtown, and before entering the service, March 1942, was employed in the Peoples Drug store, in Washington. The wedding date has not yet been set.

Two Men Will Be Honored by Gas Company Employees

Gerald E. Wilson and Carl C. Robbins will be honor guests of the employees of the Cumberland and Allegheny Gas Company of this district at a dinner party at 6 o'clock this evening, in the LaVale firemen's hall.

Mr. Wilson, former district manager, has been transferred to the Pittsburgh office, and Mr. Robbins will succeed him here.

During the dinner music will be presented by Peck Mills, who will also play for the floor show, presented by students of the John Moyer studios. Leonard Ferrone will serve as master of ceremonies of the show and will sing two numbers, "You Stepped Out of a Dream," and "A Pretty Girl Is Like Melody." While he is singing the first number the "show girls" Lee Lynn, Doris Craze and Shirley Baumann will parade around and form a background for Shirley Burke's toe dance number.

Shirley Baumann will do a special tap number and Lee Lynn will sing, "Shine on Harvest Moon," and other popular songs. Preceding the grand finale with the entire cast Donna Jean Thomas will present an acrobatic dance.

Cards and dancing will conclude the evening. Approximately 100 employees are expected to attend from Pittsburgh, Gettysburg, Elkins, Buckhannon, Kingwood, Oakland and Cumberland.

The committee in charge of arrangements includes John C. Fisher, Miss Wanda Gerard and Bruce F. Lee.

County Homemakers Will Give Picnic

The Allegany County Council of Homemakers Clubs will sponsor a picnic for all homemaker clubs of Allegany county and 4-H club members June 8 at Constitution park.

Formerly the council spring meeting was held in the form of a garden party early in June, but due to the war they were discontinued. This year they will be revived with the picnic.

A recreational period will be held during the afternoon, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. It will be followed by the picnic supper at 6 o'clock with a vesper service at 7 o'clock and closing with a campfire program.

Former Local Man Will Wed Detroit Girl Here

Miss Maxine Socia Will Become Bride of Sgt. Wilbur Hudson Today

Miss Maxine Lucille Socia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton J. Socia, Detroit, Mich., will become the bride of Tech. Sgt. Wilbur Lester Hudson, Washington, D. C., son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur M. Hudson, 208 New Hampshire avenue, today.

The ceremony will be solemnized at 2 o'clock this afternoon in St. John's Lutheran church with the Rev. Edward P. Heinze officiating. Bouquets of white flowers and candles of tall white tapers will be used in the decorations of the altar.

Miss Georgia Scherries, Detroit, will be maid of honor and Raymond Hawley, this city, will serve as Sgt. Hudson's best man.

The wedding music will include a violin solo, "Because," by Miss Della O'Connell of Detroit. Mrs. Arthur Weber will play the traditional wedding marches on the organ, and several numbers preceding the ceremony.

The bride, who will be given in marriage by her father, will be attired in a gown of white bengaline taffeta, made with a fitted bodice, with sweetheart neckline trimmed with pearl beaded flowers, long sleeves tapering to a point on the hand, and full skirt ending in a sweeping train. A pearl tiara will hold her fingertip length veil and her only ornament will be a single string of pearls. A bouquet of white bridal roses will complete her costume.

Her maid of honor will be attired in a yellow chiffon gown, made similar to the bride's with three quarter length sleeves. She will wear a yellow shoulder length veil with a crown of natural flowers matching her bouquet of talisman roses.

Mrs. Socia has chosen a powder blue crepe two piece dress for her daughter's wedding, with it she will wear black accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Hudson will also be attired in a powder blue costume, her accessories will be of a darker shade of blue and her corsage of roses.

The bride is a graduate of Cass Technical high school, Detroit, where she was a member of the Home Economic Club, the Biology Club and a member of the Student Council. She is also a graduate of Providence Hospital School of Nursing, and until her recent resignation was a member of the staff.

Sgt. Hudson was a member of Fort Hill high school's first graduating class in 1937. He was a mem-

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WAC Mothers Elect Club Secretary

The WAC Mothers Club of Cumberland elected Mrs. F. C. Haas secretary at the meeting Thursday evening at Mrs. Haas's home, 314 Payette street. At the organization meeting last month Mrs. Harry

Thayer was elected president and Mrs. G. W. Eichner, vice president. The unit decided, Thursday evening, to affiliate with the national group. It was also decided to meet the first Thursday of each month. Plans were also made for the members to attend the various activities for the WAC week program, May 11 to May 17. The next meeting will be held June 1 at the home of Mrs. Mark P. Healy, 12 North Lee street.



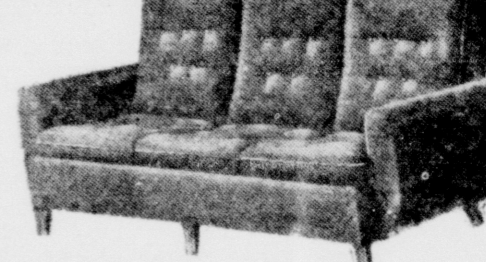
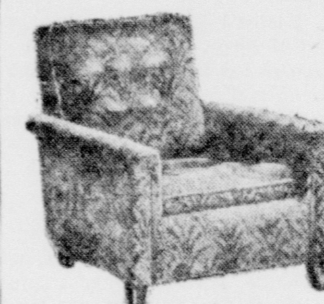
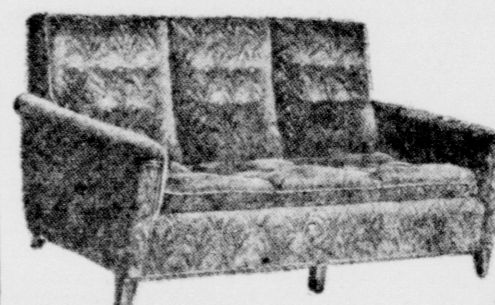
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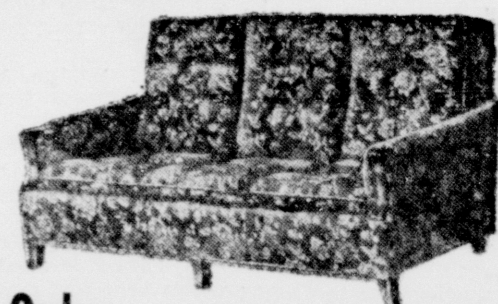
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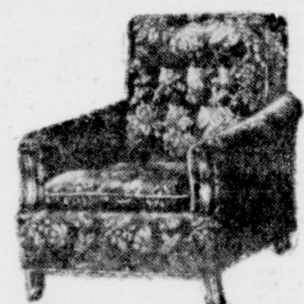
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FREDERICK, Md., May 5 (AP)—Milk deliveries to Washington and possibly Baltimore may be curtailed by a recurrence of a wave of scarlet fever throughout Frederick county, Dr. E. C. Kefauver, county health officer, declared.

Quarantine of milk producers shipping to the Washington market is almost mandatory under District

of Columbia regulations, the county health officer explained. However, he continued, shippers to the Baltimore creameries who isolate the patient and sever all possible carriers from dairy work, may, in a majority of cases, continue deliveries.

While the present cases of scarlet fever had not reached epidemic proportions, Dr. Kefauver said, the situation may become worse since the present character of the disease was mild, and walking cases were spreading it.

Stocks Advance Briskly in Day Marked by Increase in Volume

By BERNARD S. O'HARA

NEW YORK, May 5 (AP)—Led by rails and specialties, the stock market donned its climbing clothes today and pushed up fractions to 3 or more points, a number of favorites reaching peaks for 1944.

Closing prices were at or near their best in most cases although activity tapered in the final hour.

The Associated Press 60-stock average was up 4 of a point at 51.9, best advance since March 30, transfers totaled 786,890 shares, largest since Apr. 19, compared with 513,190 Thursday.

At new highs for the year or longer were Park & Tilford, which added 3 1/2 points to its recent sharp swing on the belief a whiskey dividend was in the offing; Austin Nichols common and preferred "A," Pacific Mills, American Can and Union Pacific.

In front were Gulf Mobile & Ohio, spurred by reports of oil discoveries on or in the vicinity of this road's southern properties; Morris & Essex, in response to talk of the proposed Lackawanna merger being consummated; Masonite, Great Northern, Santa Fe, Johns-Manville, International Harvester, U. S. Rubber, Montgomery Ward and Eastern Air Lines. Steels, Motors, utilities, oils and coppers were narrow.

In the Curb Childs preferred rose 5 1/2 points on odd-lot transactions of 275 shares. Improvement was shown for Brown-Forman Distillers, Cities Service, Creole Petroleum and Pennroad. Turnover here was 174,745 shares versus 129,485 yesterday.

Prices moved unevenly in the bond market today but at the close a number of popular rails managed to show gains of fractions to more than two points, boosting the Associated Press index of carrier loans to a new high at 87.9.

Dealings were spotty and, aside from the favorites, the general run of corporates held to a narrow range. Turnover amounted to \$10,137,600, face value, against \$6,447,300 Thursday.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, May 5 (AP)—Stock list today's close:

Al Redd	37 1/2	Kroger	24
Alg Corp	27 1/2	LOP GI	48 1/2
Al C D	14 1/2	Lig My B	73 1/2
Am Can	39 1/2	Lovell	18 1/2
Am C P	34 1/2	M Ward	44
Am R Mill	13	Nat Bis	20 1/2
Am Smel	37	Nat Cr	28 1/2
A T	157	Nat Dy	20 1/2
Am Tub B	62 1/2	Nat Dis	32 1/2
Am W Wks	7	ST Gen	17 1/2
Anacosta	25 1/2	Nor Wan	19 1/2
Avi Corp	37 1/2	Nor Am Avn	8 1/2
B & O	7 1/2	Owens Ill Gl	57 1/2
Bendix	25 1/2	Pack Mtrs	37 1/2
Beth Stl	58 1/2	Para Pic	25 1/2
Bow Airp	12 1/2	Pa RR	29 1/2
Budd Mfg	7	Pullman	41
Celan	33 1/2	Pur Oil	16 1/2
C and O	44 1/2	Rad Crp	9
Chrys	44	Rem Rad	16 1/2
Col G E	4 1/2	Rep Stl	16 1/2
Com Gr	39 1/2	R Tob B	20
Consolid	4 1/2	Sia Roe	90 1/2
Con Ed	21 1/2	Soc Vac	12 1/2
Curt Wr	3	Sou Pac	28 1/2
Deere	42 1/2	Spa Crp	23 1/2
duPont	143 1/2	Sta Br	29 1/2
Eastman	161	SO Cal	37
Elau Lbr Ind	40	SO Ind	23 1/2
El P L	4 1/2	SO NJ	55 1/2
First	44 1/2	Swift Co	30 1/2
Gen El	25 1/2	Texas Co	48 1/2
Gen Fds	41 1/2	Tex G Sul	33 1/2
Gen Mtr	39 1/2	Tidew Oil	14 1/2
Goodrich	47 1/2	Timb R	42 1/2
Goodyr	45 1/2	Un Caride	79
Gr N Pfd	24	Un Air	27 1/2
Crescent	20 1/2	United Carbon	61
Ill Cen	14 1/2	US Rubber	45 1/2
Int Hy	72	US St	32 1/2
Int N Can	26 1/2	Via M	4 1/2
Johns Man	91	West E M	98
Kenn Cop	21 1/2	Yng S T	25

Red raspberries are more hardy than the purple or black variety.

Pittsburgh Produce

PITTSBURGH, May 5 (AP)—Produce demand moderate.

Apples 3 cars steady, U. S. No. 1 bu. baskets New Jersey Winesaps 3.66; bu. boxes Virginia York Imperials 3.90.

Potatoes 13 cars, about steady, U. S. No. 1 old stock 100 lb. sacks Maine Katahdins 3.50-75; Idaho Russet Burbanks 4.25; New York Sebago 3.00-3.25; 15 lb. paper sacks Maine Katahdins 50-58; new stock Florida 100 lb. sacks Sebago 4.25; California Long Whites 50 lb. sacks 2.90-3.00; Texas Bliss Triumphs 50 lb. sacks 2.40-75.

Chicago Grain Market

CHICAGO, May 5 (AP)—A break of more than two cents in the May rye contract unsettled all other cereal futures on the grain market today, although deferred wheat deliveries resisted the general downward trend.

May wheat, oats and barley held at ceilings. Active wheat futures closed unchanged to 3/4 lower, and active oats 1/2-1/4 lower. Rye closed 3/4-2 1/4 lower. There was no trading in barley.

14-Year-Old Boy Is Good Husband, Says Bride, 21

By MARIE WILSON

DENVER, May 5 (AP)—Fourteen-year-old Ellsworth "Sonny" Wisecarver is an ideal husband, the kind every girl wants to have, his 21-year-old bride, June Wisecarver, said today in city jail.

"Sonny is kind and considerate and doesn't believe in hitting women," the hazel-eyed brunette said. "He puts 'you' first before he thinks about himself."

Elaine, the slender mother of two children, left James Monfredi, the man with whom she said she lived for two years, and eloped from Los Angeles with Sonny to Yuma, Ariz., where they gave their ages as 21 and were married April 29.

Couple Arrested

The young couple was taken into custody yesterday when they inquired about money she asked her mother to telegraph from Los Angeles because "we're broke." They were awaiting the arrival of officers from Los Angeles, where the boy's mother has filed a complaint of child-stealing against Elaine. The maximum penalty in California on such a charge is 20 years.

"If they annul this marriage, we'll wait 'till Sonny's of age and show them we still love each other," Elaine said.

They said they would stick together, Sonny adding firmly: "I'll wait for her if she wants me to."

Elaine Always Sober

"I think Elaine's the kind of wife I want because she likes to have a good time without getting drunk," said Sonny. "She's the first girl I was ever in love with."

Elaine said she considered this her first marriage although she said she has had children by two other men.

She has a two-year-old daughter named Elaine and Judy, a six-month-old baby, and said she would like to have two more children, a boy and a girl. Sonny doesn't want any children; he says he wants to get a war job to support Elaine and her children.

The University of Padua in Italy was founded in 1222.

New York Produce

NEW YORK, May 5 (AP)—Eggs 21.476; irregular, current, general wholesale selling prices follow.

White, special No. 1 to No. 4, 47 lbs., and over 34 1/2-35; special No. 1 to No. 4, 46 lbs. average 33 1/2-34; special medium 42-43 lbs. 31 1/2-32; extra No. 1 and No. 2, 47 lbs. and over 33 1/2-34; extra No. 1 and No. 2, 45-46 lbs. average 32 1/2-33; standard medium 40 lbs. average 31 1/2-32;

extra medium 40 lbs., average 29-29 1/2; extra pullets 35-37 lbs., 27 1/2-28. Butter 75.5-77; firm. Prices unchanged at ceiling.

Baltimore Cattle

BALTIMORE, May 5 (AP)—(WPA—Office of Distribution)

Cattle — 25. Slaughter steers fairly active, steady with Thursday; small lot good around 830 lbs., 15.00; load mixed medium and low good

around 850 lbs., 14.00; cows very scarce, quotable steady; canners 6.00-7.50; cutter and common 8.00-9.50; medium 10.00-11.50; top sausage bulls quotable 12.00.

Calves — 25. Nominally steady; good and choice vealers 15.00-17.00; medium 11.00-14.00; common 7.00-10.50; culls down to 5.00.

Hogs — 15.00. Active; 200-300 lbs. barrows and gilt steady with Thursday, all other weights and sows 25 higher; good and choice 200-270 lbs.

barrows and gilts 14.30, the top good and choice 120-130 lbs. 10.25-10.50; 130-140 lbs. 10.75-11.00; 140-150 lbs. 11.00-11.25; 150-160 lbs. 11.50-12.00; 160-170 lbs. 12.40-12.65; 170-180 lbs. 12.65-12.90; 180-190 lbs. 12.75-13.00; 190-200 lbs. 13.00-13.25; 200-250 lbs. 12.25-12.50; good sows up to 400 lbs., 12.25-12.50; over 400 lbs., considerably lower.

Sheep — None. Nominally steady; good and choice woolled lambs quotable 16.50-17.50; fat woolled slaughter ewes 7.00 down.

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Smith's Red Kidney Beans 12-oz. tin 10c

N. B. C. Premium Crackers 2-lb. carton 35c

Golden Center Wheat Gems 1-lb. pkg. 29c

Grandma's Molasses 1-pint bot. 22c

Whole Green Peas 2 1-lb. cartons 25c

ASCO Cider Vinegar quart bottle 15c

ASCO Tea, Orange Pekoe 1/2-lb. pkg. 34c

Bluetex, for Bluing Laundry 1-pint bottle 10c

Austin Carpet Cleaner 16-oz. can 19c

Tuna Fish Flakes 5 Points 6 1/2-oz. can 25c

Pea Beans 1 Pts. a lb. 2 lbs. 15c

Macaroni or Spaghetti 3 lbs. 25c

Prim Pastry Flour 12-lb. bag 55c

Fort Bedford Hydrated Lime 50-lb. bag 45c

Victory Garden Fertilizer 50-lb. bag 1.99

RINSO small pkg. 10c large pkg. 23c

LIFEBUOY TOILET SOAP 3 cakes 20c

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Junior Choir Will Sing in Sacred Concert May 11

Program Will Be Given in First Methodist Church in Frostburg

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

FROSTBURG, May 5—The Junior Choir of First Methodist church, under direction of Miss Ruby Hoffman of State Teachers college and Virginia Wott, organist, will sing at a sacred concert Thursday, May 11 at 8 o'clock in the church sanctuary. Among those taking part are: Shirley Blank, Doris Wott, Roberta Elias, Billy McKenzie, Billy Wilson, Mary Lou Hawkins, Marlene Meyers, June Lemmer, LeElla Blank, Herbert Griffith, III, Jimmie Aldridge, Rosemary Folk, Phyllis Lehr, Betty Joe Cook, Lois Mackay, Darlene Croft, Arthur Bond, II, Tommy Finzel, Ruth Jacobs, Cora Mackay and Shirley Odgers.

In addition to the Junior choir there will be two out of town soloists, Donald Easter and Mrs. Bancha Stanton Gunter, both of Cumberland. Arthur Thomas is director with Miss Mabel Myers accompanist. The offering will be given to the educational building fund. Refreshments will be served in the lecture room following the concert.

COMPLETES COURSE



Miss Roma E. Carpenter

FROSTBURG, May 5—Miss Carpenter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Carpenter, 316 East Main street, Frostburg, completed an eight months' course at the American Academy of Dramatic Arts, Carnegie Hall, New York, April 27. She appeared, April 12, at Carnegie Hall in the stage play, "Letters to Listerne," portraying the role of "Flo" in the stage play, "Cry Havoc," and April 26, the role of "Lina" in the play "Penny Wise."

Miss Carpenter, a graduate of Beall high school, class of 1937, was employed in a Cumberland store for a short time after her graduation and then went to Philadelphia, where she was employed by the government until she entered the Academy of Dramatic Arts in New York City.

Principals Are Re-employed in Tucker County

All Qualified Teachers Hired but Have Not Been Placed

By HELEN COUET

PARSONS, May 5—The following principals were all re-hired and placed in their same positions for the coming year, Reardon Cuppett, county superintendent of school announced:

Jason Wolford, Parsons high school; Stelman Harper, Thomas high school and Ira McDowell, Davis high school.

Grade school principals are: H. Dale Ridgeway—Parsons; Shirley Cooper—Hamrick; Richard Adams, Porterswood; Mrs. Forrest Armstrong—Bretz; Arthur Quatro—Pierce; Joe DePello—Benbush; Viola Martin—Douglas; William Smith—Mill Run; Alston White—St. George; Mrs. H. Bernard Kneisley—Davis.

The Tucker County Board of Education also announced that all qualified teachers were hired but no placements will be made until the final allotment of teachers is made by the state board of education of school finance.

The preliminary allotment cut the 1943-44 total of 122 teachers to 109 for 1944-45, but the board was assured it would be able to hire beyond the allotment, providing sufficient funds are available.

Martin Hanline Dies

Earl H. Hanline, Parsons, was called to Aurora this week due to the death of his father, Martin "Bud" Hanline, 67, who died at his home from a heart ailment.

Mr. Hanline was born in Egdon, a son of the late Archibald and Martha Shaffer Hanline. He is survived by his widow, the former Anna Wotring and three children, Earl, Parsons; Orren, Gypsy, and Mrs. Bessie Beckman, Aurora.

Two brothers, Lawrence Hanline, Crellin, and Oscar Hanline, Rowlesburg; two sisters, Mrs. Jennie Wilhelm, Egdon, and Mrs. Florence Sisler, Crellin, also survive.

Dinner Is Postponed

The Mother-Daughter dinner of the Hambleton-Hendricks English club scheduled for this week has been postponed until Thursday evening, May 11. It will be held in the First Methodist church in Parsons with Mrs. Ford Pink in charge.

Guild Elect Officers

The Arnon Guild of the Parsons Presbyterian church held its first meeting of the year at the home of Miss Esther Sill with Mrs. Ralph Rowland as assisting hostess.

The newly-elected officers are: Mrs. Robert Minear, Sr., president; Miss Mary Rawlings Smith, vice-president; Mrs. J. R. Wolf secretary, and Mrs. James English, treasurer.

Plans were made to give a tea to welcome Mrs. Harold Shifflett, the new pastor's wife, when they arrive the first week of June. A committee composed of Miss Esther Sill, Mrs. A. Frank Little, Mrs. J. Kenyon Lambert and Mrs. Stanley Hehle were appointed to have charge of the tea arrangements.

Class Elects

Frank Robinson was elected president of the junior class at a meeting held in the school Thursday afternoon. Other officers are: Lynn

Mrs. Emily Mason Dies at Home in Lonaconing

By MARIE MERRBACH

LONAONING, May 5—Mrs. Emily McAlpine Mason, 42, wife of John Mason, street supervisor of Lonaconing, died at 10:30 Friday morning at her home on Railroad street following an illness of a year.

She is survived by her husband and five children, S. Sgt. James Mason, stationed in Louisiana; Sgt. John D. Mason, Smokey Hill camp, Kansas; Mrs. Betty Lease, Lonaconing; Robert and William Mason, at home.

Mrs. David Somerville, Bridgeport, Ohio; Walter McAlpine, Cleveland, Ohio, and Alex McAlpine, Knapps Meadow, are the sister and brothers surviving. Mrs. Barbara Schollick, Detroit; Mrs. James Patton, Detroit; John I. Miller, Globe, Arizona; William Barnett, Arnold, Pa., and Mrs. Mary Brown, Pittsburgh, Pa., are surviving half-sisters and half-brothers.

Mrs. Mason was born in Lonaconing, the daughter of James and Elizabeth Nichols McAlpine and was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Accept New Members

Twenty-six members were taken into the Lonaconing Republican Club Thursday evening at the club headquarters, Union street. They were:

Chester Foote, Elmer Fuller, William G. Jones, James McClutcheon, Tony Bostyandine, Alex Bogie, Casper Hadley, Ethel I. Nine, James H. Jenkins, William Johnson, George R. Keim, Perry Schramm, Wilbur Waddell, Clarence H. Green, Louis A. Miller, Howard A. Beeman, Thomas Mowbray Sr., David W. Sloan, Joseph C. Ryan, John T. Groves, Edward S. Miller, Angus Turnbull, C. C. Miller, Wilson Warnick, Walter E. Ross and William McGregor.

Honored on Birthday

Dale Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Wilson, High street, was honored in his third birthday with a party held at his home Thursday evening.

Games were played outdoors and refreshments were served. A large birthday cake with pink greetings and candles was the feature of the table setting.

BARTON SOCIETY HONORS MOTHERS

By DONALD WILSON

BARTON, May 5—The Women's Society of Christian Service met in the church school of the Barton Methodist church Thursday evening. Mrs. Gertrude Broadwater lead the devotions. The Mothers Day program included a reading, "Honor Thy Mother and Father," solo "Memories of Mother" by Vada Metz.

The Rev. L. J. Moore spoke on "Remember Your Mother". The hostesses for the evening were the Mesdames Mary Neat, Molly McDonald, Lola Shuhart and Leona Metz. The next meeting will be held June 1.

Personals

James Kiddy, seaman second class, returned to Norfolk, Va., after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kiddy, Jr.

Mrs. Harmon Arnold returned home Wednesday after visiting her husband, Pvt. Harmon Arnold, Camp Wheeler, Ga.

William R. Harvey returned home from Memorial hospital where he was under observation for several days.

Purple Heart Awarded To Pfc. Jerome Nicolao

KEYSER, W. Va., May 5—The Purple Heart medal was recently awarded Pfc. Jerome "Nick" Nicolao, husband of Mrs. Vida N. Nicolao, of Keyser, who was wounded in the European theater of operations. Nicolao spent six weeks in an army hospital but is now able to return to duty.

Or, vice-president; Helen Stemple, secretary; Eleanor Spangler, treasurer; Frank Hinkle reporter and Miss Paige DiBacco and Mrs. William Talbot as sponsors.

Will Command Ship

Lt. Joseph Gilmore, United States Navy, is visiting his parents here for a few days. He has just returned from overseas duty and upon his return will command his own ship as a captain. Gilmore is a former star football and basketball player both for Parsons high school and West Virginia Wesleyan college, Buckhannon. He enlisted in the navy two years ago and prior to that time was a visitor for the department of public assistance of this county.

Child Is Injured

Romona Scripp, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Scripp, Kempton, was treated by a local physician for a four inch laceration she received on her right knee when she fell while playing at her home this week.

Piedmont Eagles Will Celebrate Fortieth Anniversary Tomorrow

Aerie 707 Will Hold Banquet, Initiation and Program

By GEORGE W. DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT, May 5—A banquet, initiation and program will feature the observance of the fortieth anniversary of Eagles, Sunday afternoon at their hall on Jones street.

A class of twenty or more candidates will be initiated. The aerie is making a drive for thirty members during the month. An orchestra composed of Donald Atkins, Stuart Pinnell, Claude Kight and others will furnish music.

Observe Anniversary

The fortieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John McBees Sr. was observed at their home, Green's Addition, Westernport, last night attended by children, grandchildren and friends. The birthday of their daughter, Mrs. Bernice Amann, was celebrated. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. McBees were married in the rectory of St. Peter and Paul church, Cumberland. Eight children were born to this union. Besides Mrs. Amann they are Mrs. John Lupis, Piedmont; Miss Margaret McBees and John McBees Jr., Westernport; all of whom attended the celebration; Clarence McBees, Idaho, and Russee McBees, North Carolina, both in the armed forces, were unable to attend.

Plan Banquet

It was decided at the meeting of the Piedmont high school Alumni Association Wednesday evening to hold the annual banquet and dance Wednesday evening, May 24. Music will be provided by Donald "Pink" Atkins orchestra. Another meeting will be held next Wednesday at 7 p. m.

Dawson Rites Held

Funeral services for Henry A. Dawson, 79, husband of the late Anna Creutzberg Dawson, who died Tuesday at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Isaac Dawson, were held yesterday afternoon at Boal's funeral home with the Rev. William B. Orndorff, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. Interment was in Laurel Hill cemetery, Moscow.

Palbearers were Ben Wilt, James Smiley, Noah Davis, Louis Biddle, M. J. Northcroft and Augustine Lochner.

Initiation Is Held

Twelve new members were initiated by Calanthe Temple No. 8 Pythian sisters Tuesday evening. They are Mrs. Bernice Blackburn, Mrs. Christine Hines, Mrs. Mollie Densmore, Mrs. Evelyn Cooper, Mrs. Millie Cosner, Mrs. Mabel Blackburn, Mrs. Ethel Dayton, Mrs. Fern Nestor, Mrs. Nora Wilt, Mrs. Daisy Keller, Mrs. Phyllis Greenhorn and Mrs. Margaret Hill.

Circle Will Meet

Westernport Flat circle of W. S. C. S. of Trinity Methodist church will meet Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Atkins, Main street.

Personals

Pvt. Thomas Podelco, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Podelco, Piedmont, of Fort Thomas, Ky., is visiting his home.

Mrs. Kenneth Pifer, Washington, D. C., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna Dellinger, River road.

Pvt. and Mrs. Charles Dellinger, Baltimore, are spending ten days visiting relatives. He will report for new assignment next week.

Waialeale mountain in the Hawaiian Islands is believed the wettest place in the world, with an average of 460 inches of rain a year.

Cork is used for cartridge plugs, bomb parts, insulation of planes and tanks, life preservers and other army and navy war equipment.

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Steps Are Taken To Condemn Water Plant

Meyersdale Council Names Committee To Confer with Louis M. Weld

By W. A. SHOEMAKER

MEYERSDALE, Pa., May 5—At the regular meeting of the borough council Tuesday night the first step was taken in the proposed condemnation of the plant of the Sand Spring Water Company, a private corporation that has been supplying the residents of Meyersdale with water more than fifty years, with the view of the borough taking over and operating the plant.

The president of the council, James E. Leckemby, appointed Councilmen S. S. Susser, Samuel S. Rickard and Edward J. Boyer to confer with the head of the Sand Spring Water Company, Louis M. Weld, and to secure the figure he and the stockholders consider a fair price, and to report their findings to the next regular meeting of the council on Tuesday June 6.

At a primary election held April 25, the citizens of Meyersdale voted on the question of condemning the plant of the water company and the same was approved by a vote of 227 to 88.

Plan Charter Night

The Lions Club of Meyersdale will observe "Charter Night" Monday, May 8, at 7 p. m. in the social rooms of Amity Evangelical and Reformed church. The event is being sponsored by the Berlin Rotary Club.

The meeting will be called to order by the Rev. Nelson C. Brown, president of the local Lions Club, when the entire audience will join in singing "America," followed by the pledge of allegiance to the flag, and the invocation by the Rev. Thomas R. Thomas, pastor of the First Methodist church. President Brown will also introduce the toastmaster for the banquet to follow, in the person of Robert L. Miller, president of the Berlin Lions club.

The address of welcome will be delivered by the Rev. J. E. Gindlesperger, pastor of the local Lions Club, followed by the presentation of the charter by C. L. Schmidt, district governor, and its acceptance by President Brown of the local club; an address by Dr. Arthur S. Haines, national director of Lions clubs.

During the evening musical numbers will be played on the organ by Mrs. Frank D'Amico, augmented by singing by the audience. The Rev. DeWitt L. Miller, pastor of the Church of the Brethren, will pronounce the benediction.

Personal Mention

Eight Hardy county men are getting their boot training at Great Lakes, Ocie Raines, Charles E. Vance, Willie O. Smith, Welton L. Ruckman, Robert V. Marshall, Richard F. Calhoun, Moorefield; Ocie E. Sherman and James C. Barr, Rig.

Raymond Sindy has been transferred from Texas to Keeler field, Mississippi.

Pvt. John Greenwalt, stationed at Alamogordo, N. M., is spending a furlough with Mrs. Greenwalt and daughter and his parents Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Greenwalt, Purgittsville.

Pet. Ralph Elosser has written his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Elosser that he has arrived safely at his destination in England.

Ensign L. R. Grover is in from Chicago for a fifteen day leave. Billy Henry, who has been with the United States Marines at New River, has returned to Moorefield with a medical discharge.

Sgt. Vernon Taylor has announced his safe arrival in Africa to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Taylor.

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Meeting Is Held By Grantsville Community Club

By EVA BEACHY

GRANTSVILLE, May 5—Mrs. O. J. Glottely was hostess to the Grantsville Community Club at her home Wednesday afternoon with Miss Ethel Broadwater presiding. Mrs. Mildred Hoffman, county demonstration agent spoke on cleaning and storing winter garments and distributed the sugar applications.

Mrs. Bessie Patton gave a report on "The Country, the People and the Customs of Wales and Russia." Mrs. Clarence Glottely and Mrs. Wilson Bill are new members. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Bessie Patton, June 7.

Personals

Cpl. Emmons J. Meyers, Robins Field, Ga., is spending a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Meyers.

Pfc. Dale Miller has returned to Robins Field, Ga., after spending a two-week furlough with his wife at Meyersdale, Pa., and his mother Mrs. Lucinda Durr, Grantsville.

Seaman 2-c Logan Wingert, Bainbridge Naval Training Station, spent the weekend with his wife and family.

Sgt. Lee Roy Shumaker has returned to Fort Meade, after spending a twenty-one day furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Shumaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Durr returned from their son Pfc. Wane H. Durr, who has been in New Zealand for several months, and in the Vella La Vella campaign.

The Rev. Samuel Lobach and Dr. E. R. Corman, Wilkesburg, Pa., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Livengood, Tuesday night.

Miss Bonnie Jane Bill has returned to Hagerstown after visiting her mother Mrs. Wilson Bill.

Miss Grace Swager, Johnstown, Pa., spent several days here with her father, Albert Swager, and sister, Mrs. Harold Miller and Mrs. Freddie Bittinger.

Mrs. Malissa Boucher is visiting her daughter Miss Lucetta Boucher, in Cumberland.

Mrs. Ruth Miller, has returned to her home in Donora, Pa., after spending the past week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Younk.

Members of the Grantsville Rotary Club who attended the One-Hundred Eighty-Eighth District conference of Rotary International, at Harrisburg, Pa., Sunday night and Monday, were Harry Yommer, Frank Getty, J. A. Fahy, C. O. Bender, and A. J. Yoder.

burgh, is spending the weekend at his home.

Cpl. William Raymond, instructor in the War college, Washington, D. C., spent the past several days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Raymond.

Ladies' Auxiliary Of Keyser Firemen Elects Officers

Mrs. R. E. Montgomery Will Be Installed as President Tuesday

By LUKE MCDOWELL

KEYSER, May 5—The Ladies Auxiliary of the Keyser Fire department held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. James Leary this week. Officers for the ensuing term were elected as follows:

Mrs. R. E. Montgomery, president; Mrs. Horace Clark, vice-president; Mrs. Richard Hewitt, secretary; Mrs. Walter Cross, treasurer; Mrs. Owd Morgan, trustee, and Mrs. William Miller, reporter.

Installation will be held in the fire hall on May 9. Mrs. Frank Mott will be installing officer.

The meeting this week was the regular monthly birthday party. Those honored were Mrs. Harold Wamsley, Mrs. James Leary, Mrs. Horace Clark and Mrs. Ersel Kimble each of whom received a gift from the birthday club. Eighteen members attended.

Briefs and Personals

D. F. Rinehart, Lewis county representative of the West Virginia State A. A. Association was in Keyser today checking the work of the association with the local office staff.

Mrs. Thomas Shoemaker and son Howard, Keyser, and Mrs. Theodore Alexander, Lonaconing, are visiting Mrs. Shoemaker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Baker, Middleburg, from Saturday to Monday.

Raphael Leatherman of near Williamsport, Grant county, spent Friday in Keyser. Miss Roberta Riggelman, Keyser, and Mrs. Arnold Friend, Deer Park, are surgical patients in Potomac Valley hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Daugherty have returned to their home in Moundsville. They were called to Keyser because of the death of Mr. Daugherty's father, Charles H. Daugherty, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Blackburn have gone to Baltimore to see their daughter, Miss Mabel Blackburn, who is a surgical patient in Union Memorial hospital in that city.

Lieut. (j. g.) James Welshon returned Friday to Bethesda where he is being treated in the naval hospital for injuries received in a crash in the Pacific war zone some months ago. He had been home on convalescent leave for thirty days.

The executive committee of the Mineral County Chapter American Red Cross met this evening in the court house.

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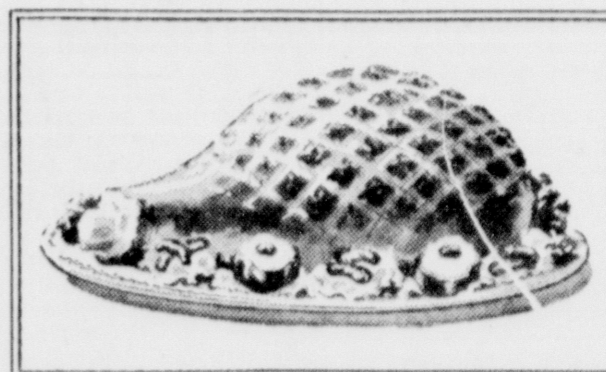
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Point Free Meat Aids Some People Dealers Report

Meat dealers and meat eaters alike are pleased with the new ruling of the Office of Price Administration which last Wednesday made all meat, with the exception of beef steaks and roasts, point free.

The meat dealers mostly are pleased because they do not have the extra work involved in handling ration coupons and making token change. Inquiry among several Cumberland dealers indicate that sales are not up a lot although one independent dealer reported an increase in meat sales of twenty percent. This dealer pointed out that families whose members carry uncles to work have been greatly benefited by the lifting of point restrictions.

The majority of dealers queried said they probably would be able to supply consumers if the demand increases. Retailers also agree that the new point policy is of great benefit to the families of one or two persons. Larger families were getting plenty of points and in many cases were not spending their points it was pointed out.

Boy Scout Charter Is Presented to Zihlman Troop by Jackson

Kenneth E. Jackson, scout executive of Potomac Council, Boy Scouts of America, presented a charter to Troop No. 80, sponsored by the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Allegany Methodist church, at exercises last evening at Zihlman.

The charter was accepted in behalf of the sponsoring organization by Mrs. J. S. Espy.

Following a candlelight service by Troop No. 43, of the Prossburg Rotary Club, Jackson presented cards and pins to twenty members of the troop.

One hundred persons attended. Refreshments were served by the Women's Society of Christian Service.

Melvin Washington Elected To Head New Recreation Group

A recreation association for colored children in Cumberland was organized Monday evening in Carver high school with Melvin Washington elected president. Edward Lewis, vice president, and Leroy Stewart, chairman.

The group plans to establish a playground on Pine avenue and the boys will assist the city in maintaining it as well as clean out the swimming pool. The association hopes to have the playground and pool ready by the time school closes.

Eighteen boys have joined the association and others are invited to join. The next meeting will be held in Carver high school May 16.

BOLT AND FORGE WINS SECOND HALF HONORS IN COMMERCIAL LOOP

B. and O. Bolt and Forge pinner won the second half championship of the Commercial Bowling League by defeating Eiler Chevrolet stickmen by fourteen maps in a three-game rolloff match at the Savoy this week.

R. Willison had 467 for the losers while "Hap" Harsh paced Bolt and Forge with 493. Eiler Chevrolet won the first championship and the two teams will meet again, this time for the season title, sometime next week.

The loop held its annual banquet Thursday night at Mike's Cottage Inn with twenty-five attending. Jacob Brown, of Bolt and Forge, was the toastmaster. Theodore "Neb" George posted high season average of 160 and chalking up high set and game.

It was decided that instead of giving prizes, the money will be used for a singles and doubles tournament to be held at the Roky starting at 7:30 p. m., Thursday, May 11. The season half rolloff scores follow:

EILER CHEVROLET			
R. C. Hines	144	124	428
R. Willison	122	115	350
R. Hines	144	124	428
O. S. Hines	122	115	350
H. Smith	122	115	350
TOTAL		726	2170

BOLT AND FORGE			
Harsh	126	130	421
Clayton	140	130	421
McGowan	140	130	421
SAVER	132	132	421
Cox	112	130	382
TOTAL		675	2170

Slate Accident Cases Are Heard

Dr. Thomas W. Koon, commissioner, presided yesterday as the Maryland Industrial Accident Commission conducted hearings at the city hall.

Cases scheduled include Chester C. Stewart vs. E. V. Coyne, Rex E. Teets vs. Cumberland Contracting Co.; James E. Holliday vs. Cumberland Box Co.; Russell Stallings vs. Kelly-Springfield Tire Co.; Harold F. Metzger vs. Cumberland Brewing Co.; Rufus H. Bocklin vs. Celanese Corporation of America; William E. Lauterbach vs. Celanese; George W. Brooks vs. Celanese; John E. Bilymore vs. Celanese; William L. Bender vs. George F. Hazlewood Co.; Ezra C. Swaine vs. George F. Hazlewood Co.; Ronald J. Simons vs. Harve Munsard.

Weather in Nearby States

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA Mostly cloudy and cooler, with occasional rain.
WEST VIRGINIA: Mostly cloudy and continued cool.

"MISS GUADALCANAL"



CHOSEN BEAUTY QUEEN among fifty navy nurses serving on Guadalcanal Island in the Southwest Pacific. Ensign Jeanne Elder, of Miss Elaine, was proclaimed "Miss Guadalcanal" at a picnic-dance given for the girls by the recently embattled but always susceptible marines.



Li. William H. Macy, co-pilot, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Macy, will soon complete an intensive course in combat flying at the Alexandria army air field, Alexandria, La. and in the near future will go overseas to a combat area. He is a graduate of Allegany high school and Potomac State college, where he was a member of Phi Sigma Nu fraternity.

Two Cumberland youths are training to become AAF pilots with the current underclass of aviation cadets hearing their Silver Pilot's wing and officer's bars at the advanced flying school of the AAF Central Flying Training Command, at Pampa army air field, Pampa, Texas. They are Aviation Cadets Charles W. Crippen, 25, son of Mrs. Ruby Reed, 31 Oldtown road, and Roy M. Hinkle, 26, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy O. Hinkle, 718 Yale street. Hinkle is married to the former Marjorie Lee Metzger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Metzger, 845 Columbia avenue.

Pvt. James E. Lindsay, son of Thomas C. Lindsay, Ridgeley, W. Va., has completed a twelve weeks course at Fort Knox, Ky., in the maintenance and repair of the peeps and jeeps, scout cars and trucks, and was graduated as a qualified automotive mechanic.

Sgt. Calvin S. Keiter, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Keiter, 107 Decatur street, connected with the Army Air Force ground training installations at Kearns, Utah, since August, 1943, has been transferred to the Harvard, Neb., Army Air Field, and assigned to administrative duties. Mrs. Ruth E. Keiter accompanied her husband to his new station.

George M. Crump, Mt. Savage, has been promoted from technician fifth grade to technician fourth grade in the European theater of operations in the U. S. Army. He is a son of George B. Crump, Mt. Savage.

Walter S. Brode, S. L. son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brode, 323 Davidson street, has completed a course in gunnery mate's school at the Naval Training Station, Bainbridge, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lemmert, 177 East Main street, Prossburg, received word that their son, Cpl. Ralph Lemmert, is stationed at a New Guinea hospital as an X-ray technician. He has been in service since September 1942 and overseas since January, 1944. He has been in New Zealand, Auckland, Sydney, Australia.

Thomas A. Bryant, AOM, 3-C, husband of Mrs. Louella Bryant, 225 Maple street, has been promoted to petty officer second class at the Norfolk Va., Naval Air Station.

Mrs. Bessie Myers, Westernport, has been advised of the arrival in New Guinea of her son, Pvt. John W. Myers.

Pfc. Julian J. Baker, husband of Mrs. Evelyn Baker, 310 Decatur street, and son of Mrs. Thomas McConnell, Detroit, Mich., has been made a corporal in England.

Robert Aldridge, Mt. Savage, has been advised of the arrival in England of his son, Pvt. Charles H. Aldridge.

Li. Helen Thusk, Roberts Place, has been promoted to the rank of first lieutenant, according to an announcement by the War department today.

Ernest R. Spriggs, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Spriggs, Ridgeley, W. Va., has been promoted to master sergeant at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

T. Sgt. Chester L. Sarger, this city, has been transferred from Seymour Johnson Field, N. C., to San Antonio, Texas.

District Governor Akers To Visit Lions May 31
Floyd D. Akers, district governor, will visit the Cumberland Lions Club at the regular weekly luncheon meeting Wednesday, May 31, in the Central Y. M. C. A.

Members of the other clubs in this area and the Ridgeley Lions are invited to attend this meeting.

Newspaper Guild Joins Conference; Picks Delegates

Delegates were elected and a vote was passed to affiliate with the Western Maryland Labor Unity Conference at a meeting Thursday of the Cumberland Newspaper Guild.

Burke P. Brown and F. DeSales Cook were named delegates. In addition Eugene P. Brown and J. William Hunt were named delegates to the Western Maryland Industrial Union Council in addition to T. Donald Shires.

The Guild recently signed its seventh contract with the Times and Allegany Company, covering editorial employees of the Cumberland Evening and Sunday Times.

Local 26, United Rubber Workers of America named John Chisholm and C. D. McIntyre delegates to the Unity Conference Thursday night.

Chisholm announced that Maryland's senators have been asked to support poll tax bill H. R. seven, and the senators along with Rep. J. Glenn Beall have been asked to back price control measures. Chisholm is chairman of the union's Legislative committee.

EUGENE T. GUNNING TO ADDRESS LASALLE GRADUATING CLASS

Eugene T. Gunning, city editor of the Cumberland Evening Times, will deliver the principal address at the annual commencement exercises of LaSalle high school, Sunday, May 28, at 8 p. m., in Carroll hall. It was announced yesterday by Brother Dacian Stephen, principal.

The Rev. Lawrence P. Landrigan, pastor of St. Mary's church, will preside, and Brother Stephen will present diplomas to twenty-nine members of the graduating class as well as other awards.

Seniors will receive Holy Communion at the graduation mass at 8:15 a. m., Sunday, May 28 in St. Patrick's church. Father Landrigan has been invited to deliver the sermon to the seniors.

Two Divorce Suits Filed in Court

Two suits for absolute divorce were filed yesterday in circuit court. Mrs. Hazel Hartsock seeks a divorce from Willis Hartsock and charges that he treated her with cruelty until she left him and went to the home of her parents to live. The couple were married June 29, 1940, and lived together until April 7, 1944, according to the bill of complaint filed by Mrs. Hartsock's attorney, Edward J. Ryan.

Mrs. Agnes C. Deter seeks an absolute divorce from Frederick N. Deter and asks for the custody of their minor child. In an order signed by Associate Judge William A. Huster, Deter is ordered to pay \$17.50 weekly as alimony during the course of the suit and is restrained from molesting Mrs. Deter or entering her home at 353 Baltimore avenue. She also is represented by Ryan.

Japanese Rifle Is on Display

Residents here are showing much interest in a 25-calibre Japanese army rifle on display in the window of the Truitt Drug Company, Virginia avenue.

The rifle was sent Mrs. Ruth Reel, 135 Arch street, by her husband, Sgt. Glenwood "Tag" Reel who has been in the Southwest Pacific with an army anti-aircraft unit for the past twenty months. He was on duty at Guadalcanal for a year and the rifle is believed to have come from there.

In recent letters Sgt. Reel told of seeing two Cumberland friends, Seabee Norman Gerdeman and Marine Charles "Chick" Snider during his Pacific travels.

County Raises \$779.19 For Polio Sufferers

Thomas F. Conlon, chairman of the Allegany county committee of the National Fund for Infantile Paralysis, Inc., yesterday forwarded a check for \$779.19 to Miss Catherine Gail, assistant state chairman, Baltimore, which represented Allegany county's share in the 1944 drive for funds.

The money was raised at President birthday balls in Lonaconing, Westernport and Cumberland.

Conlon, who has headed the campaign annually since 1939, said that \$600.82 from the War Chest fund will remain in Allegany county.

Fire Inspector Will Attend Convention

Charles G. Smith, inspector for the Cumberland Fire Department, will leave Sunday for Philadelphia to attend the National Association Fire Protection convention, scheduled for the Ben Franklin hotel, May 8, 9, 10 and 11.

High ranking army and navy officers and government representatives will be among the speakers on the program.

Philadelphia will be the scene of the convention for the first time in the association's forty-two year history.

Booked by Police

Verna Miller and Edith Lepley, Independence street, and a young girl street boy are booked at police headquarters for investigation. They were arrested at 11:30 p. m. Thursday by Officers J. Carl Stouffer and John G. Powers.

Kirke L. Simpson Says: Heavy Attacks on Nazi Oil Fields May Cripple German Air Defenses

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst

Return of Allied bombers to the attack on Romanian and Hungarian communication hubs suggests that the first major blow of the integrated Russian-Allied campaign on the continent may fall against the Danube Delta Gaiati gap.

There could be good reason both military and political to the minds of Russian and Allied leadership alike in making a break-through drive by joint ground-air operations at that point a preliminary for the main east-west assault planned at Teheran.

Nazis May Lack Gas
The Italy-based Allied air attack hammering repeatedly at Budapest, Bucharest and Ploesti makes it doubtful that the Nazi war machine even now is drawing any substantial flow of high-test aviation fuel and lubricants from Romania. It is even possible that the reluctance of Nazi fighter planes to take to the air in the west against Anglo-American bombing fleets from Britain is traceable in some degree to dwindling reserves in both categories.

If the Nazis have discovered a satisfactory synthetic lubricant, there has been no suggestion of it from Allied experts. Lacking that, rigid conservation of high-test plane engine oil may be an added factor in keeping Nazi fighters grounded so frequently while Allied bombers roam continental skies at will.

May Have Stored Gas
It is not to be doubted that the Germans long ago foresaw the necessity of storing up oil and gasoline from Romanian fields against the possibility that now faces them. That is the loss of the whole Danube and Siret valleys, on the slopes of which the wells lie, to the Russian or Allied air shattering of pipe lines and the oil-barge traffic on the Danube.

While there may be considerable stocks of all categories in storage in Germany, actual loss of the fields, nevertheless, would be a heavy blow. Sooner or later in Russian hands some of the wells could be brought back to serve Allied war machines.

90-Degree Temperatures Will Not Speed Opening Of Pools before May 30

Local swimming pools will not be opened for the 1944 season until Decoration day, regardless of how hot the weather gets before that date.

The mercury reached a maximum of ninety degrees yesterday and after the third straight day on which summer heat has prevailed inquiries about the swimming pools began to increase.

Constitution park's pool and Celanese pool will be opened on May 30. That's the earliest date on which the Constitution pool has been opened in the past although one year it was not opened until June 15. The latest closing date for the city pool is September 14 while August 22, 1943, was the earliest closing date due to a threatened water shortage brought about by the drought.

Last year's attendance was 7,918 less than the peak year of 28,998 in 1942. The city pool was opened in 1940.

Motorists Post Bond On Driving Charges

Ira Shaffer, Ambridge, Pa., was arrested at 9:05 p. m. yesterday by State Trooper G. M. Rotruck on a charge of reckless driving on Route 40 in LaVale. Shaffer posted bond of \$645 for a hearing Tuesday morning in trial magistrate's court.

Melvin Robinson, Frostburg, was arrested at 4:30 p. m. yesterday by Chief of Police Oscar A. Eyerman and Officer John H. Newhouse on a charge of careless driving. Robinson posted bond of \$10 for a hearing Monday in police court.

Firemen Are Called When Rubbish Ignites

East Side firemen were called at 2:57 p. m. yesterday when a basket of rubbish in the basement of the shoe repair shop operated at 202 Baltimore avenue by Patsy Idoni caught fire. There was no damage.

South End firemen were called at 3:40 p. m. yesterday to extinguish a grass fire on Williams road. They were out about half an hour.

120 Births, 53 Deaths Reported for April

One hundred and twenty births and fifty-three deaths were reported for Cumberland and vicinity during the month of April, it was announced yesterday by the health department. One hundred and nineteen of the births and fifty deaths were recorded in the city.

Magazine Writer Is Visitor Here

In connection with an article he is writing on Potomac river localities, Albert W. Atwood, staff contributor to the National Geographic magazine, was a visitor in Cumberland yesterday.

He spent yesterday in Hancock and was accompanied here by J. Andrew Cobhill. Pictures in connection with the story will be taken later.

Atwood is a former editorial writer for the Saturday Evening Post.

and aid in stepping up the final attack in the south and southeast no matter what demolition the Germans executed in Romania in preparation for their evacuation.

Bulgaria Considered
The political results throughout the Balkans of a Russian incursion into the Danube valley also appears to urge intensive action in Romania either in advance of the Allied invasion assaults from the west and indicated gain Russian drive from the east somewhere along the Lwow-Brest Litovsk line, or closely synchronized with those impending master blows. There is always a possibility of Bulgarian collapse as a Nazi satellite not at war with Russia. The effect on Turkey's future course in that event cannot be overlooked for at some point in the months ahead, the Turks are going to desert their neutrality stand in order to insure themselves a seat at the peace table on the victors' side.

Regulations for Mail To Prisoners of War Is on File Here
Detailed rules governing the mailing of letters and packages to prisoners of war and civilian internees are given in the May 2 Postal Bulletin, James C. Shriver, postmaster, announced yesterday.

Since such mail must conform in detail to rules issued by the detaining governments, great care must be taken in writing and addressing such mail. A copy of the bulletin, which gives examples of all forms used in addressing letters to prisoners in all countries, will be available to the next of kin at the local post office, Shriver said.

Wastepaper Collection Drive Nets 93.9 Tons

Ninety three and nine-tenths tons of wastepaper was collected during the one-day drive in Cumberland, Ridgeley, LaVale and the Cresapton section on Sunday, April 30, according to Kenneth E. Jackson, acting chairman of the Allegany County Salvage committee.

The official weight of the paper collected and forwarded to the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company, Covington, Va., in six box cars was 187,700 pounds.

Jackson urged residents of this area to continue saving all wastepaper and there is still a need for it and another collection is anticipated in the near future.

Fewer M. P.'s Now Guard White House

WASHINGTON, May 5 (AP)—The steel-helmeted M.P.'s have gone from the front of the White House.

The executive mansion day-time guard detail has been reduced to the point where a squad now marches where a column marched before. Military authorities explained that all available able-bodied men are being shifted from army service in this country to overseas duty—and that applies to the White House detail along with all others.

They emphasize, however, that the protection to the president is as great as before. Troops still cover the White House grounds, but civilian police—not soldiers—now guard the front entrance.

Plan To Expedite News of Invasion

WASHINGTON, May 5 (AP)—In a move to expedite news coverage of the forthcoming invasion of Europe, the Anglo-American high command has arranged for joint censorship of the stories of correspondents of all the Allied countries, the Office of War Information announced tonight.

George W. Healey, Jr., chief of the OWI domestic branch told a press conference the arrangement was expected to eliminate delay and confusion which sometimes resulted when copy had to be cleared by both American and British censors.

"All stories will be censored only once, either in the field or in London," Healey said.

Bishop Powell Confers With Emmanuel Group

The Rt. Rev. Noble C. Powell, bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Maryland, was a visitor in Cumberland last evening en route from a meeting in Richmond, Va., to Baltimore.

While here he held a conference with the vestrymen of Emmanuel church, who entertained him at a dinner in the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

Maryland State Police Will Instruct Class

Maryland State police traffic control and accident prevention methods will be studied by a group of state patrolmen from three different states during the Northwestern University Traffic Institute which will start May 8.

Members of the Maryland State police force will instruct the three police officers students who are Capt. James M. Barry, of the Mississippi Highway Safety Patrol; Corp. George C. Alexander of the Georgia State Patrol and Trooper Vincent C. Considine of the New York State Troopers.

Clerical Workers Greatly Needed By Government

Lawrence E. Crabtree, United States Civil Service secretary here, announced yesterday that government offices, especially in Washington, are in pressing need of clerks, typists and stenographers.

Needs include arithmetical clerks, at salaries from \$1752 to \$2433 a year, including overtime, also typists and stenographers at salaries of \$1752 to \$1971 a year, overtime included for a forty-eight hour week.

Students who will graduate and many men and women who are not working, or who had thought to retire can qualify for this work and thus aid the war effort, says the local Civil Service secretary. Forms and information can be obtained at the post office.

15,000 Canning Sugar Stamps Issued Here This Week

Applications for canning sugar are being received at the rate of 700 a day now and 15,000 five-pound coupons have been issued by War Price and Rationing Board No. 1311 since May 1. Karl W. Radcliffe, chief clerk, announced yesterday.

Practically all the 3,700 applicants have requested the full twenty-pound quota available through the application.

The local board hopes to complete issuance of the special canning sugar during the month of May. Stamps, however, are valid until February 28, 1945.

Evaporated Milk Distribution in 12 States Held Up

NEW YORK, May 5 (AP)—Distribution of all evaporated milk held by the War Food Administration in the twelve-state northeast region has been halted pending an analysis of the milk, Chester A. Halman, state WFA supervisor, announced tonight.

The region consists of all New England states, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland and West Virginia.

The action followed a report by the New York City board of health that food poisoning at a city institution stemmed from evaporated milk distributed by the WFA to state, county and municipal institutions and schools.

Halman said that about 25,000 cases of the milk had been distributed.

AFL Council Refuses Plea of Mine Workers

PHILADELPHIA, May 5 (AP)—The AFL executive council refused today to budge from its January offer to take back the United Mine Workers "with the jurisdiction they had when the left left the AFL."

The council's reaffirmation of its position underlined the stalemate in the negotiations with UMW President John L. Lewis, who wants either to return to the federation without first disbanding his catchall district fifty or to have an AFL charter covering chemicals as well as coal mining in exchange for disbanding district fifty.

Bread Must Be Enriched

All white bread and rolls, with the exception of sweet rolls and doughnuts, must be enriched under a recent WFA order, William L. Frazer, area WFA administrator, announced yesterday. All flour used for such products must be fortified with thiamin, niacin, riboflavin and iron.

Health Nurses Needed

Positions as public health nurses in the United States Public Health Service, Federal Security Agency and Indian Service, including Alaska, are available through the United States Civil Service Commission, with salaries of \$2,190 and \$2,433 a year. Further information may be secured from Lawrence E. Crabtree, local secretary.

Committee To Meet

The Allegany County War Memorial Committee will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock in Room 7, city hall, according to an announcement by Miss Pearl A. Eader, secretary.

TROTH ANNOUNCED

ANNOUNCEMENT has been made of the engagement of Kathleen Kennedy, daughter of Joseph P. Kennedy, former ambassador to the Court of St. James's, to Lord Hartington, 26, heir of the Duke of Devonshire. She is serving with the Red Cross in London.



Mr. and Mrs. Edward Albright, LaVale, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday morning in Allegany hospital.

SIGN OF THE TIMES



THIS SIGN on the Anzio beach-head in Italy puts across its message in very few words. Dusted raised by speeding military vehicles would be detected by Nazi artillery observers and furnish a target for shells in an area already registered by German fire.

ASSOCIATED PRESS MEETING WILL BE HELD HERE SOON

Thirty to fifty newspaper men are expected to attend the Associated Press Chesapeake Association's spring meeting in Cumberland Friday and Saturday May 19 and 20, with the Times and Allegany as the host organization, William L. Geppert, president of the association, announced yesterday.

A business session will be held May 19 at 5 p. m., at the Cumberland Country Club followed by an informal get-together. Saturday morning the newspapermen will visit the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company and the Celanese plants, after which a luncheon will be served at the country club at 1:30. Golf and other entertainment will be on the afternoon program Saturday.

An Associated Press war correspondent is scheduled to make a talk at the dinner meeting Saturday at 6:30 at the country club which will conclude the meeting.

Associated Press bureau chiefs expected to attend are William O. Varn, Baltimore; Frank Fuller, Richmond, Va., and Max Fullerton, Charleston, W. Va.

Newspapermen are expected here from Baltimore, Washington, Annapolis, Hagerstown, Frederick, Hanover, Pa., Winchester, Va., and other cities in the Chesapeake territory.

OPA Not To Prosecute Mrs. James Roosevelt

LOS ANGELES, May 5 (AP)—The OPA has decided to forget Mrs. James Roosevelt's speeding citation, an Office of Price Administration official said today, because no conviction certificate was turned in.

The wife of Col. James Roosevelt, USMC, was cited for driving fifty miles an hour in a twenty-five-mile zone in Laguna Beach. Her husband paid the \$10 fine. Police Judge C. C. (Gavvy) Cravath, former major league baseball player, declined to report the case because "I'm not a stool pigeon for the OPA." Gasoline ration boards are empowered to penalize speeders.

Leo F. Gentner, regional OPA director, said today:

"If the conviction certificate for speeding had come to us, we would have acted on it, as in any other case. Since it did not come to us, we are not going out to chase it. I feel we should treat Mrs. Roosevelt's case as we would any one else's. We've decided to forget it."

ODT Authorizes Convention Specials

WASHINGTON, May 5 (AP)—The Office of Defense Transportation today authorized railroads to operate special trains or special cars to Chicago for the Republican and Democratic national conventions, but accommodations on the specials will be sold only to holders of certificates countersigned by an ODT representative.

The certificates will be sent to delegates, alternates and accredited newspaper, radio and newsreel representatives who have been certified to ODT by the chairmen of the parties.

Certificates, ODT emphasized, "will not be available to anyone else."

Carnegie Board Awards 14 Medals

PITTSBURGH, May 5 (AP)—The Carnegie Hero Fund commission today recognized fourteen acts of heroism, awarding a bronze medal in each case.

Gen. MacArthur's Withdrawal Will Help Gov. Dewey

Majority of General's Followers Name New Yorker as Second Choice

By DR. GEORGE GALLUP
Director, American Institute of Public Relations

PRINCETON, N. J., May 5.—Since General Douglas MacArthur has eliminated himself as a possible Republican presidential candidate, the question arises as to which of the remaining Republican or Democratic candidates his supporters will follow.

In its most recent survey on Republican candidates, the Institute asked MacArthur supporters to name the person they would prefer second to MacArthur.

On this basis, a majority of General MacArthur's followers prefer Governor Thomas E. Dewey who already tops the list of Republican rank and file preferences in every section of the country.

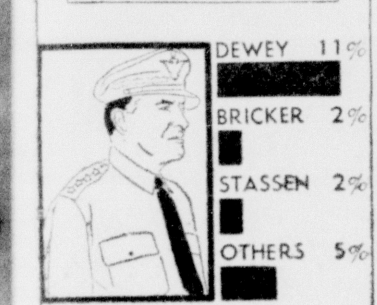
In the latest survey preceding General MacArthur's statement eliminating himself from the running, the military leader was shown to have Republican support totaling twenty per cent.

The following table shows how the MacArthur support distributes itself on a second choice basis among other Republican or Democratic candidates remaining:

DEWEY 11%
BRICKER 2%
STASSEN 2%
OTHERS 5%

Most of the other second choices were for Democratic candidates, with the rest divided among Wen-

SECOND CHOICES OF MACARTHUR SUPPORTERS



del Willkie, who dropped out of the race in early April, Eric Johnston, United States chamber of commerce head, and Governor Earl Warren, of California.

In a survey published just before General MacArthur withdrew

Refueling Food for Blood Donors

By CHARLOTTE ADAMS
AP Food Editor

Though it's always a good idea to keep in mind building good, rich red blood, as we plan the food to feed our families, I am prompted particularly to write this article for the benefit of those many Americans all over the country who donate their blood to the Red Cross.

Blood we give has to be replaced in the body, and we can help the process along, take these sensible precautions beforehand. Try to be rested when you go to the blood bank. Pay strict attention to the Red Cross's suggestion that you eat no solid foods, particularly any containing fat, within four hours of making your donation. Many people do not realize that this is not for the benefit of the donor, but because any foods containing fat taken into the system within that length of time make it impossible to freeze the plasma so obtained. The night before you make your donation, eat some of the blood-building foods suggested below.

There are two results you wish to achieve in building blood; to replace red cells and replenish liquid. Iron makes red cells. The richest sources of iron in food are liver and molasses. Each of these is easy to obtain, and prepared in interesting ways, palatable to eat. Other sources of liver are: lean beef (not so easy!); oatmeal, dried apricots, eggs, whole wheat, raisins, parsley, oysters, cabbage.

Protein goes into the building of all blood cells, too, so eat meat.

from the race of the leading possible candidates, Governor Dewey had support totaling fifty-five per cent of those who say they prefer a Republican president. MacArthur's second had twenty per cent, Governor John Bricker, of Ohio, nine, and Lieutenant-Commander Harold Stassen, former Minnesota governor, seven.



FOOD FOR BLOOD: Molasses egg milk shake is kind to the bloodstream.

fish, cheese, eggs, milk, dried peas, beans or lentils. Any liquid will offer additional fluid, but milk gives many other food values as well. The minute you finish giving your donation you'll start building those lost blood cells if you fix yourself a molasses milkshake like the one illustrated. It contains just about every food component you need.

Molasses Egg Milk Shake

1 pint milk
2 eggs beaten
Pinch salt

2 tablespoons New Orleans molasses

Combine all ingredients. Mix well. Serves two.

The morning after you've made your blood donation, eat whole grain cereal, or wheat cakes with molasses. For lunch have some broiled or pan-fried liver, some spinach, perhaps some coleslaw, and for dessert — gingerbread. At dinner try to get some lean beef. A good green salad with lots of lettuce and potatoes well sprinkled with parsley brings in essential foods again.

Definite arrangements have not been completed by "Tex" Sherlan, publicity director.

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Chile has two-thirds of all the mineral resources of South America.

New Tax Bill Passes House By Vote 358-0

By FRANCIS M. LE MAY

WASHINGTON, May 5 (AP).—Spurred by the national outcry against the intricacy and confusion of wartime taxation, the House passed unanimously today a bill designed to relieve some 30,000,000 of the 50,000,000 taxpayers of the necessity of computing income tax returns.

The vote was 358 to 0, the first time in the memory of House veterans that a tax bill passed without a dissenting voice.

Senate Action Soon

This action shuttled the tax simplification legislation to the Senate where Chairman George (D-Ga.) of the Finance committee predicted early approval.

The streamliner would:

1. Scrap the two-year old "victory" tax and set new normal and surtax rates and exemptions while keeping actual tax burdens near present levels.

2. Changes the withholding levy against wages and salaries — effective next January 1 — to deduct currently the full tax liability of persons earning up to \$5,000 — thus removing the necessity for 30,000,000 persons to compute formal returns.

3. Of the 20,000,000 who still would be required to file returns, 10,000,000 (those earning less than \$5,000 but with income other than wages and salaries) could use a simple table showing their entire tax. The remaining 10,000,000, with incomes over \$5,000, would fill out a simpler return than the present long form.

The revised normal and surtaxes

would be applicable for returns filed March 15 on 1944 income.

Generally the bill would levy a somewhat larger tax against single persons and couples without children, while the load would be lightened for taxpayers with large families.

Chairman Doughton (D-NC) of the House Ways and Means committee, said "as far as burdens go, the measure will not hurt anybody much, or help anybody much." He emphasized that "increased withholding is not increased tax burden."

The withholding system of deductions from pay envelopes and salary checks was instituted last year as a part of the pay-as-you-go tax legislation. It now takes the approximate tax of persons in the first income bracket.

Under the new bill those earning up to \$5,000 in 1944 and receiving not more than \$100 from sources

not subject to withholding would be permitted to file a copy of a withholding receipt, furnished by the employer, in place of the regular tax return. These taxpayers would list their dependents on the reverse side of this receipt, and enter amounts of "other income."

They would mail it to the local tax collector who would calculate the tax, then bill the taxpayer or issue a refund check, depending

whether the taxpayer was overpaid or underpaid.

Some 9,000,000 persons now paying victory taxes but with earnings not large enough to come under the present income levies would become regular taxpayers, remitting at rates about equivalent to their present victory tax burdens.

The bill would add approximately 150,000 new taxpayers — those earning between \$555 to \$624.

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Plantation Sliced Pineapple No. 2 23¢ can	Morning Bracer Coffee 3 lb. 59c Tender Leaf Tea Bags 15c Baker's DeLuxe Cocoa 19c M.B. Co. Ritz Crackers 23c Domino Sugar 5 lb. 32c
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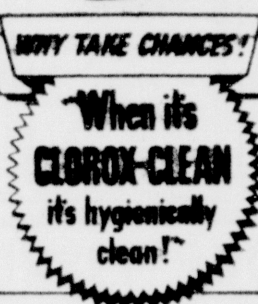


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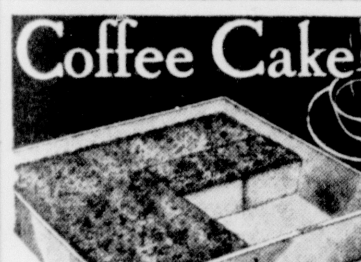
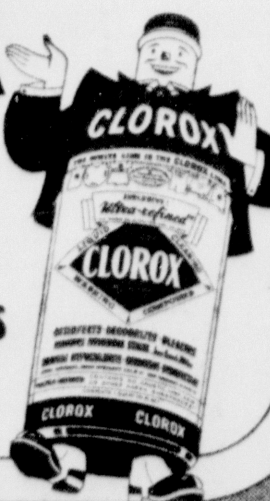
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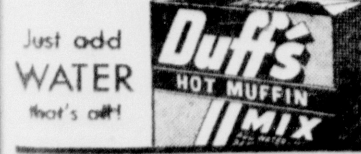
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Theaters

"Hey, Rookie's" Original Cast Is Near War Zone

"Hey, Rookie," the soldier musical which the Port MacArthur yard birds produced, had Los Angeles theater-goers in the aisles for thirty-six laugh-packed weeks. Now showing as a Columbia picture on the screen of the Maryland theater, "Hey, Rookie" also has gone to war. With many of its original members, it is currently entertaining the troops in North Africa.

A letter to his mother from Sterling Holloway, co-screen actor now with the armed forces and one of the original yard birds, says that "Hey, Rookie" was recently seen by General Eisenhower and was highly praised.

"It's a great show," said Eisenhower, according to Holloway's letter. "Since the beginning of the war this is the first show I have taken time out to see. Your reputation caused me to come."

Anne Gwynne Is Nearing Stardom

Anne Gwynne, who portrays Gerry Vail in Walter Wanger's "Ladies Courageous," the Universal production now at the Liberty theater, is rapidly nearing stardom on the basis of her striking portrayals in this and other current motion pictures.

Miss Gwynne, whose hair is copper red, was born in Waco, Texas. Her home town is now San Antonio. While she was attending college, she came to Hollywood on a visit. The trip resulted in her being signed to a contract by Universal.

Since then she has established herself as an extremely versatile actress. Her recent pictures include "Top Man," "Frontier Badmen" and "We've Never Been Licked."

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James Craig and Marsha Hunt handle the romantic leads in the story of a child prodigy who learns about love when she meets a happy-go-lucky reporter and manages to solve his problems as well as her own.

Philip Merivale, Donald Meek, Keenan Wynn, Sara Haden and Henry O'Neill are among those featured in the cast.

Cavetown Planing Mill Destroyed

CAVETOWN, Md., May 5 (AP)—The Cavetown Planing Mill Company, manufacturer of lumber supplies, was burned to the ground today with a loss estimated at \$30,000 by company President Frank Bushey.

A nearby building, owned by the Hess Stone and Supply Company, also was destroyed by the flames and its occupant, Dewey Warrenfeltz, an invalid, was carried to safety.

Two fire companies from Havertown, eight miles west of Cavetown; and one each from Boonsboro, Smithsburg and Waynesboro, Pa., fought the blaze. Several firemen were blistered by the heat and Bushey was burned on the arm.

AMERICAN AND GERMAN SHELLS



A LIEUTENANT at the Army Ordnance Proving Ground, Aberdeen, Md., looks at a shell designed for firing from the army's eight-inch mobile gun. It is propelled more than two miles farther than the German 170mm. gun shell at right.

Bricker To Address Baltimore Club

BALTIMORE, May 5 (AP)—Gov. John W. Bricker, of Ohio, candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, will address the Baltimore Advertising Club June 2, club officials announced today.

They said that although Bricker's appearance here would be a campaign tour stopover, he had been invited to speak "in his capacity as governor of Ohio" and the meeting was "not a political rally."

Kelly Doesn't Like "This Hero Business"

By JAMES JORDAN

PITTSBURGH, May 5 (AP)—To Tech Sgt. Charles E. (Commando) Kelly, "this hero business" is all right, in a way, but "it's more strenuous than army life in Italy."

The shy, soft-spoken, slender Irishman, who won the congressional medal of honor after single-handedly "eliminating" 40 Nazis in fighting near Cassino, has had scarcely a free moment since he came home on furlough to his

"mom" and a hero's welcome twelve days ago.

"I haven't had a chance yet to get out for a couple of evenings with my old friends," he said. "I've been in one parade after another and I've given dozens of speeches before war workers and service clubs."

"And that's work—a lot harder than fighting in Italy."

Rives Matthews Classified 1-A

PRINCESS ANNE, Md., May 5 (AP)—Rives Matthews, newspaper editor who was defeated for the Republican nomination for U. S. Senator by Blanchard Randall, Jr., in the May 1 primaries, was classified 1-A under selective service today.

Matthews, 37, is married and has a foster son, 15. He had been deferred three times.

Matthews said his notification was a "complete surprise" and it

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Kentucky Derby Will Be Reported On CBS Network

Lauritz Melchior Will Sing in Popular American Music Program

By JEAN MEEGAN

NEW YORK, May 5 (P)—Last night's broadcast of the Kentucky Derby will be announced right from the track at 4:15 this afternoon by Ted Husing and Jimmy Dolan. CBS, which has a lien on this event for another year, will broadcast the race at 4.

Just for a change Lauritz Melchior, Wagnerian tenor of the Metropolitan Opera Company, will sing on the Music America Loves Best show at 7:30 tonight over the Blue network.

Since last fall when Melchior became a comic after one shot on the Fred Allen show his guest appearances have been frequent and funny. Now he probably wants to make sure he can still sing.

War End Play

The very last day we are at war has been dreamed about and worked into a play for the Army Service Forces Present series. The program is advanced fifteen minutes on the schedule beginning this evening on the Blue network. The new time is 10:30.

Another switch on the Blue occurs at 10 tonight when Guy Lombardo settled into that spot. Until now he played Sunday's at 10:30.

Joan Blondell will do an afternoon show at 12:30 today in a drama written for her. This is part of the CBS Stars Over Hollywood series.

Warm weather music by the Boston Pops Orchestra will ease into the Boston Symphony spot at 8:30 tonight over the Blue. The idea is that the programs will be light and summery and full of Strauss waltzes, and bits of operettas instead of the deadly serious winter passages.

Some Early Offerings

NBC—10 a. m. Mirth and Madness; 11 Hook and Ladder; 12:30 p. m. Atlantic Spotlight; 1 Here's to Youth; 4:30 Doctors at War.

CBS—10 a. m. Youth on Parade; 11:30 Billie Burke; 12 noon Theater of Today; 2 p. m. Of Men and

Saturday Radio Clock

SATURDAY, MAY 6

Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT, 2 Hrs. for MWT.

(Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.)

2:00—Musica by Gallicchio Or.—nbc
The Metropolitan Opera (4 hrs.)—nbc
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2:30—Granland Rice and Sports—nbc
3:00—Call of the Wild—nbc
3:30—Half Hour for Dancing Music—nbc
4:00—To Be Announced (1 hour)—nbc
4:30—Victory F.O.D. Variety—nbc
5:00—This from Halloran Hospital—nbc
5:30—Visiting Time, Ted Husing—nbc
6:00—Sunday's Carnival—nbc
6:30—London Washington Report—nbc
7:00—To Be Announced (15 minutes)—nbc
7:30—People's War, H. Fleming—nbc
8:00—Rupert Hughes Comment—nbc
8:30—Horse Racing Broadcast (15 m.)—nbc
9:00—Doctors at War, Drama—nbc
9:30—The Colonel Put on a Show—nbc
10:00—To Be Announced (30 minutes)—nbc
10:30—Your America, Chas. Taylor—nbc
11:00—Corliss Archer, Drama Series—nbc
11:30—Tea and Grumpies, Popular Music—nbc
12:00—Bullseye Board—nbc
12:30—Oscar Sauerbinger's Talk—nbc
1:00—Mother and Dad, Drama—nbc
1:30—Half Hour for Dancing Music—nbc
2:00—Curt Massey & Vagabonds—nbc
2:30—The Saturday Songs Program—nbc
3:00—Sustain the Army Wings—nbc
3:30—Kentucky Derby, Ted Husing—nbc
4:00—Service Serenade in USO Camp—nbc
4:30—Trayer, Augusta Coll. Choir—nbc
5:00—Storyland Theater Drama—nbc
5:30—Music by Adrian Rollins Trio—nbc
6:00—People's War, H. Fleming—nbc
6:30—To Be Announced (30 minutes)—nbc
7:00—The Link Spots Negro Quartet—nbc
7:30—Religion Out of the News—nbc
8:00—World News and Commentary—nbc
8:30—Leon Henderson and Comment—nbc
9:00—The American Story Series—nbc
9:30—Lionel Barrymore as the Mayor—nbc
10:00—Those Good Old Days, P. Barnes—nbc
10:30—Jittery Queen Drama—nbc
11:00—Grand Old Opry Program—nbc
11:30—Bob Hawk & Quis Show—nbc
12:00—Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc
12:30—The Music America Likes Best—nbc
1:00—Arthur Hale's Comments—nbc
1:30—Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc
2:00—"Abie's Irish Rose," Drama—nbc
2:30—Groucho Marx & Variety Show—nbc
3:00—Early American Quis Music—nbc
3:30—Arthur Hale with repeat—other mbs
4:00—Edward Tomlinson's Talk—nbc
4:30—Music for Remembrance, Wings—nbc
5:00—Truth or Consequence Quiz—nbc
5:30—Inner Sanctum Mystery Drama—nbc
6:00—The Boston Pops Concert, Hour—nbc
6:30—The Cisco Kid, Drama of West—nbc
7:00—Five Minutes News Period—nbc
7:30—The National Bazaar Show—nbc
8:00—Saturday Hit Parade Orchestra—nbc
8:30—Chicago's Theater of the Air—nbc
9:00—Can You Top This, Gags—nbc
9:30—Spotlight Bands, Guest Orchestras—nbc
10:00—Saturday Night's Serenade—nbc
10:30—Quick Quiz Time, 5 min.—nbc
11:00—Harry Wood Variety Party—nbc
11:30—Lionel Barrymore as the Mayor—nbc
12:00—Royal Arch Gunion Comment—nbc
12:30—Army Service Forces Show—nbc
1:00—Correction Pages, Quis Series—nbc
1:30—To Be Announced (30 minutes)—nbc
2:00—The Grand Old Opry Show—nbc
2:30—Fifteen Minute Talk Time—nbc
3:00—Harry Warner Tells of Sports—nbc
3:30—Leo Cherna and Commentary—nbc
4:00—Late Variety Show—nbc
4:30—News, Variety, Dance 2 hr.—nbc
5:00—Melodies, Dance Variety (3 h.)—nbc

WTBO Highlights

Saturday, May 6, 1944

7:00 Rise to Shine Club.
7:30 News.
8:00 World news round-up (NBC).
8:15 Dick Lister (NBC).
8:45 News.
9:00 First Piano Quartet (NBC).
9:30 News (NBC).
10:00 Mirth and Madness (NBC).
10:30 News.
11:15 The Resall Revue.
12:00 News.
12:15 Consumer Time (NBC).
12:30 Atlantic Spot Light (NBC).
1:00 Here's to Youth (NBC).
1:30 The Baxters (NBC).
1:45 The War Telescope (NBC).
2:00 Musicians (NBC).
2:15 GI Live from Puerto Rico (NBC).
2:30 Granland Rice's sports stories (NBC).
3:00 Southern Symphony Orchestra (NBC).
3:30 Music on Display (NBC).
4:00 Pimlico Races: "The Dixie Handicap" (NBC).
4:15 Rupert Hughes (NBC).
4:30 Doctors at War (NBC).
5:00 Story Behind the Headline (NBC).
5:45 Starring Curt Massey (NBC).
6:00 Parade of Sports.
6:30 News.
6:45 Service Unlimited.
7:00 "NBC Stands By" (NBC).
7:30 Noah Webster Says (NBC).
8:15 News.
8:30 News.
10:30 Grand Old Opry (NBC).
11:00 News (NBC).
11:15 American Spring Quartet (NBC).
11:30 I Sustain the Wings (NBC).
12:00 News (NBC).

Bank Deposits In Maryland at All Time High

BALTIMORE, May 5 (P)—Deposits in the state banks, trust companies and mutual savings institutions reached a new all time high on Dec. 31, 1943, the 34th annual report of the Maryland bank commissioner disclosed today.

Commissioner John W. Downing reported that deposits exceeded \$900,000,000 for the first time in the history of the department. The total gain for the year in all three classes of institutions was \$173,082,396.00, Downing said.

"This remarkable rise in the total deposits can only be attributed to the continued war time activities and the United States treasury's necessities war borrowings," the report stated.

Figures cited in Downing's report showed that at the close of business on Dec. 31, 1943, cash on hand and on deposit in state banks, trust companies, mutual savings banks throughout the state totaled \$194,994,442.51.

As of the same date, total loans

including mortgages and judgments, \$137,016,072.78; United States government obligations, \$615,714,461.05; other securities, \$59,541,866.79; other assets, \$19,448,383.27; total assets and liabilities, \$1,026,715,226.40; total of all classes of deposits, \$939,139,051.49; total capital structure, \$84,948,165.71; other liabilities, \$2,628,009.20.

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DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS	3 Fix	21 Foot-like organ
1 Explosive missile	4 Molded loaf of dough	24 Coin (Peru)
5 Cuckoos	6 Forty	26 Girl's nickname
9 Serious	6 Never	28 Affirmative reply
10 Leases	7 Intervening space	30 A humorous show
12 Per to sheep	8 Sculptured likeness	31 Bodies
13 Good conductor of heat	9 Bottoms of shoes	32 June-bug
14 Coin (Chin)	11 Driving ice and rain	35 Acts of selling
15 Boys' nickname	16 Pinch	38 A dish
17 Plexus	19 One making a debut	46 Before
18 Conclude	20 Regret	48 Narrow inlet
20 Slope	23 Observes	
22 Regret	25 Ball of medicine	
23 Observes	27 Youth	
25 Ball of medicine	29 Coin (Fr.)	
27 Youth	30 Became entangled as ropes	
29 Coin (Fr.)	33 Shrubs (Jap.)	
30 Became entangled as ropes	36 Perform	
33 Shrubs (Jap.)	37 Distress	
36 Perform	39 Epoch	
37 Distress	40 Perused	
39 Epoch	42 Male sheep	
40 Perused	44 Any powerful deity	
42 Male sheep	45 Light boat	
44 Any powerful deity	47 Immense	
45 Light boat	49 Come in	
47 Immense	50 Farewell	
49 Come in	51 Withered	
50 Farewell	52 University officer	
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2 Girdle (Jap.)

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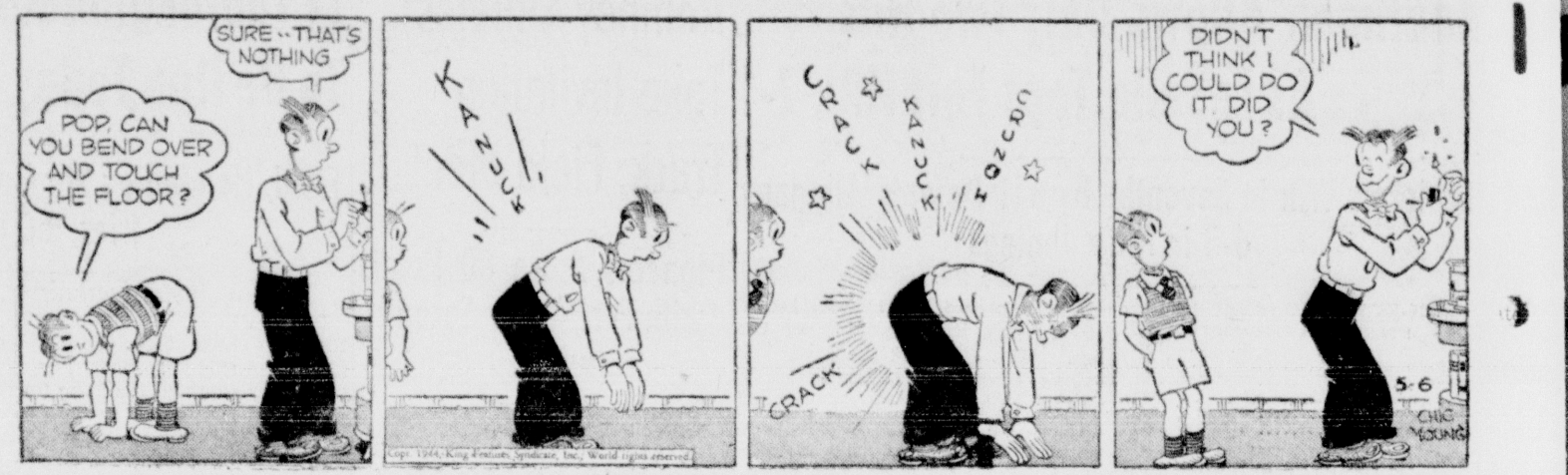
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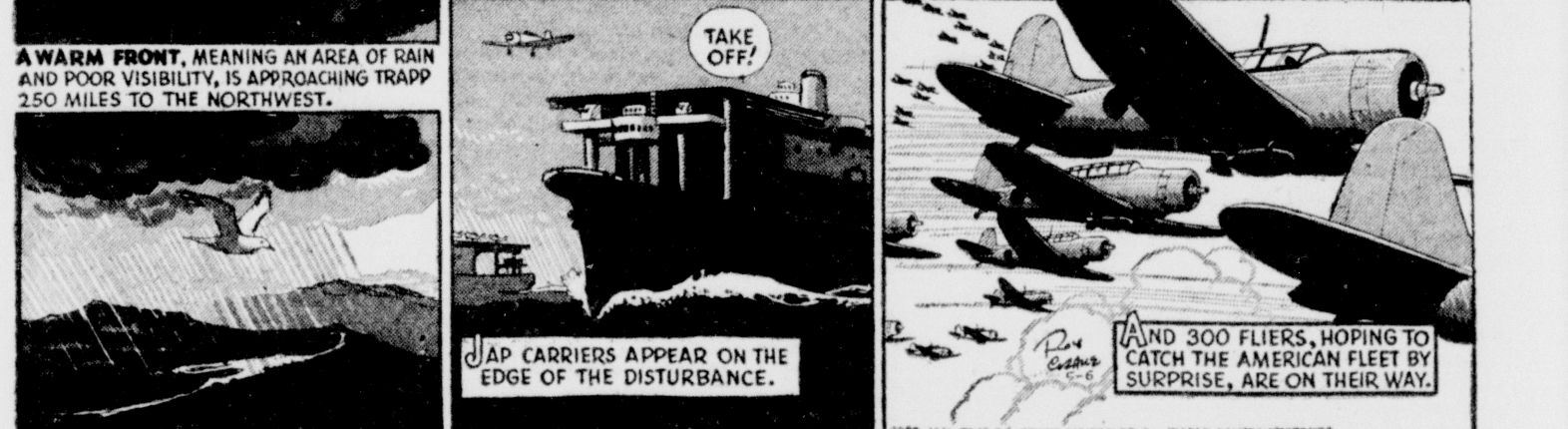


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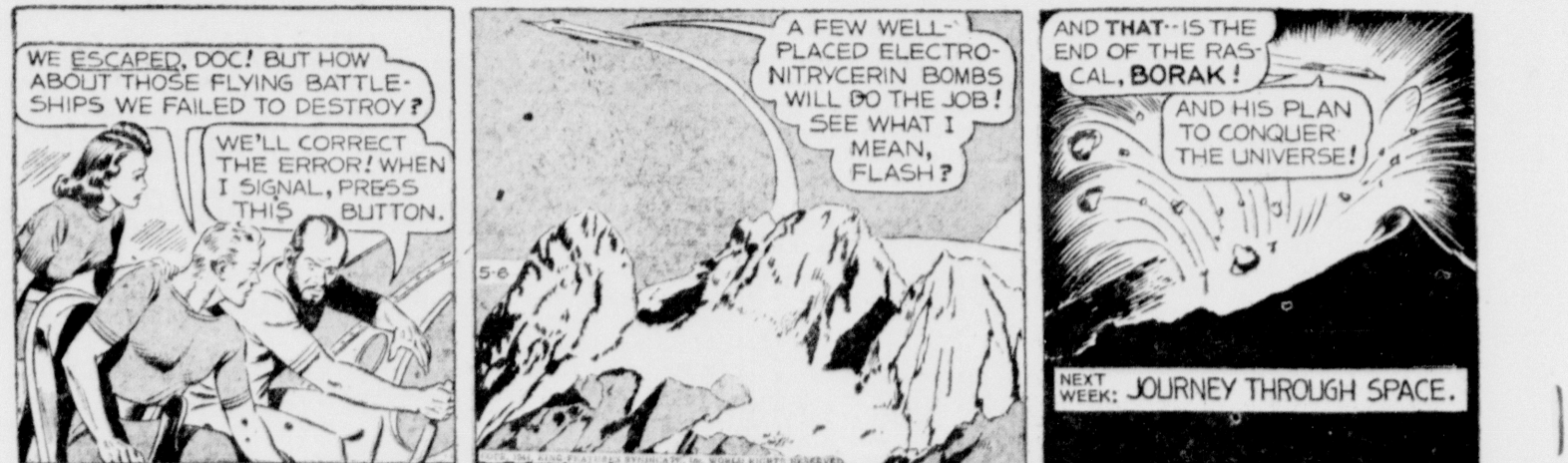


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In Memoriam

ROBY, Mrs. Mary E. In loving remembrance of my mother, Mary E. Roby, who departed this life twenty-two years ago today, May 6, 1922.

I will always remember you.
Sincerely,
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13—Coal For Sale

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WAKEMAN COAL, big vein and stoker. Phone 4024-F-14. 7-9-11-T

COLUMBIA ST. Coal Yards. Phone 2604. 11-28-11-T

JOE JOHN'S coal. Phone 1634. 3-3-11-T

KINDLING, furnace and fireplace wood. Phone 47-W-4. 4-23-11-T

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PARM for rent, Oldtown Road near Everts Creek, \$25. Glenn Watson. 5-4-11-N

19—Furnished Apartments

MODERN TWO, three and four room apartments also single rooms by the week or month. Boulevard Apartments. Phone 2737. 8-9-11-T

TWO ROOMS, kitchenette, adults. 322 Poca St. 4-17-11-T

203 FIFTH ST., three rooms, bath. Glenn Watson. 5-1-11-T

TWO ROOMS, adults. Phone 659-J. 5-1-11-T

TWO ROOMS with porch. 1011 Virginia Ave. 5-5-11-T

THREE ROOMS, bath, 811 Shriver Ave. Phone 1061-J. 5-3-11-T

20—Unfurnished Apartments

THREE UNFURNISHED rooms. Phone 3171-W after 4:30 P. M. 4-15-11-T

112 FOURTH ST., two large front rooms, bath, gas, electric, heat, furnished. \$24. Glenn Watson. 4-26-11-T

SIX ROOMS, C. W. Sarver. Last house on hard road. Locust Grove. 4-30-11-W

MODERN three rooms, Cresaptown. Phone 3395-J. 5-1-11-T

THREE ROOMS and bath. 306 Washington St. 5-2-11-T

THREE ROOMS, bath, garage. \$35. Phone 1890-W. 5-3-11-T

THREE ROOMS. Phone 219-W. 431 Broadway. 5-4-11-W

THREE ROOMS, 1st floor. On West Side. Rent reasonable. Reinhardt Furniture Store. 5-5-21-N

VERY DESIRABLE apartment. Fayette St. Phone 1288-M. 5-5-11-N

21—Apartments

FIVE-ROOM apartment, modern. Mayfair Tavern, Winchester Road. Phone 2535 till 5 p. m. 5-1-11-T

22—Furnished Rooms

MODERN bedroom, lady. 204 Fulton. 4-26-11-T

BEDROOM, kitchenette, bath. Adults. 206 Oak St. 4-28-11-T

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, adults. 414 Race. 5-1-11-T

LIGHT housekeeping room. 125 Bedford St. 5-2-11-T

BEDROOM. Ladies preferred. Smokers needn't apply. Phone 3813-R. 5-2-11-T

SLEEPING ROOM, 112 S. Liberty. 5-3-11-T

MODERN bedroom, one or two girls. 311 Helen St. Phone 4506. 5-4-31-N

HOUSEKEEPING ROOM, 56 Bedford St. 5-4-31-T

TWO HOUSEKEEPING rooms. 25 Arch. 5-5-31-N

TWO LOVELY bedrooms, \$35.00. Centrally located. Phone 1038-J-x. 5-5-31-N

SLEEPING room. 206 Maryland Ave. 5-6-21-SaSu

THREE rooms, frigidaires. Apply 159 Bedford St. 5-6-21-SaSu

SLEEPING room, garage if desired. Apply 419 Central Ave. 5-6-11-T

24—Houses For Rent

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25—Room and Board

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26—For Sale Miscellaneous

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ASPHALT ROOFING, 1 ply 98c; 2 ply, \$1.35; 3 ply, \$1.85. Liberty Hardware, Phone 550. 9-15-11-T

MAINE grown seed potatoes, Irish Cobbler, Red Bliss, Katahdin, Chippewa. Liberty Hardware Co. 4-5-31-N

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28—A—Florists

THIRTY laying hens. Apply C. A. Jewell, 18 John St., Ridgely. 5-6-21-N

THREE Pomeranian puppies, 2 males, one female. \$14 N. Mechanic St. 5-6-21-N

CHICKEN and turkey crates, also steel chicken cages, harnesses, corn planters. Kenneth Balch, Valley Road. 5-6-21-N

28—A—Florists

Funeral Flowers RenRoy Gardens LaVale Phone 3960-W

Funeral Flowers BOPP'S Flowers 75 Baltimore St. Phone 2582

29—Furniture, Stoves

USED FURNITURE. Millenwon's 317 Virginia. 1-6-11-T

31—Help Wanted

WANTED: Girls and boy messengers, 16 years or older day work. Western Union. 5-6-11-N

32—Help Wanted—Female

GIRL for pressing. Apply Harry Footer & Co. 4-29-11-T

SALESLADIES wanted for retail store. No evening hours. Giving address and phone number, write Box 161-A. % Times-News. 5-4-11-N

WOMAN for housecleaning. Phone 3680-W. 5-4-11-T

WANTED: Girl for week for afternoon general housework. White or colored. Apply 831 Gephart Drive. 5-4-11-W

WANTED: Experienced stenographer, permanent. Write Box 163-A. % Times-News. 5-4-31-T

WOMAN for general housework two days a week. Phone 3203-R. 5-6-21-N

33—Help Wanted, Male

WANTED two men, 18 to 30, to work in bakery. Apply 12 to 8 p. m. Schmidt Baking Co., 800 Frederick St. Mr. Packer. 5-5-11-W

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COLLECTOR—SALESMAN Cumberland and vicinity. Guaranteed weekly salary \$45. In addition, 10% commission on sales. Our men earn at least \$75 weekly and more. Permanent position, automobile necessary. Write stating age, experience and draft status. Box 150-A. % Times-News. 4-29-11-T

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SINGER SEWING machine, radio. Phone 4546. 5-2-11-T

CHARACTER wigs, beards, mustaches. Below cost. 3151-J. 5-2-11-T

PIGS, shoats, rabbits. Five miles out Williams Road. Opie Annan. 2747-J. 5-3-31-T

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METAL leather baby buggy. \$10. 620 Lincoln St. 5-5-21-T

EVERGREENS, Ruthella Fey, Union Grove Road. 5-5-21-T

REFRIGERATED meat case, 8 foot, like new. Immediate possession. Bargain. 121 East Main, Frostburg. 5-5-11-T

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St. Paul's Church To Celebrate 150 Years of Service

Sesquicentennial Celebration Will Open Here on May 14

The sesquicentennial celebration of the organization of St. Paul's English Lutheran church which will be held here the week of May 14-21, will be marked by addresses by two former pastors, Dr. Hixon Tracey Bowersox, pastor of the church announced yesterday.

Dr. Martin Luther Enders, Baltimore, will deliver the sermon at the anniversary service on May 14 at 11 o'clock and the Rev. J. William McCauley, Salem, Va., will preach at the 7:30 p. m. service on the opening day of the celebration.

Members of all the churches which worshipped in the old log churches, and the Lutheran churches, which were organized under the various pastors of the church, will bring greetings at the "fellowship services" to be held at 7:30 p. m. on May 17. Immediately following the fellowship service a congregational reception will be held in the Sunday school room.

Special Music Arranged

Dr. Harry P. Baughman, professor of preaching at the Theological Seminary of Gettysburg, Pa., will deliver the sermon at 11 o'clock on May 21, which will close the celebration with the "first service in the second 150 years."

The choir of the church, under the direction of Andrew Wilson, with Mrs. Bowersox playing the organ accompaniments, will present special music at all services during the celebration. The pastor of the church will introduce the various speakers.

The congregation was organized May 11, 1794 and purchased almost one acre of land for fifteen pounds on June 20, 1794 from Thomas Beall of Samuel. In addition to the site upon which the present church building now stands, the lot included about fifty-five feet of the rear of the present McCrory building, about forty-two feet back of the Rosenbaum and Schwarzenbach buildings and about twenty-five feet back of one-third of the McMullen building. Also included practically the entire site of the location now occupied by Bernstein's, about one-half of the back of the site occupied by Flurschutz, most of the site upon which the warehouse of the Cumberland Improvement Company now stands and the vacant lot owned by the same company, together with the adjoining alleys.

Built Log Church

Since purchasing the land the Lutherans have erected three church buildings upon it. The first was built of logs and served as a place of worship until 1841, when it was converted into a parsonage and the second, a brick building, was built. It was used until 1894, when it was replaced by the present edifice. The church was first known as Christ church, and it was not until 1895 that it adapted the name of St. Paul's English Evangelical Lutheran church, to differentiate it from St. Luke's German Lutheran church. Descendants from five of the original ten families are still members of the church, they are the Brotemarkles, Ritzers, Shucks, Rices and Valentines.

In the century and a half of its existence the congregation has had eighteen pastors, Friedrich Wilhelm Lange, 1794-1805; John George Butler, 1805-1816; John Christian Frederick Hoyer, 1818-1824; Nathan B. Little, 1825-1829; Henry Haverstick, 1829-1832; John Kehler, 1833-1841; Jesse Winecoff, 1841-1844; Samuel D. Finckel, 1844-1846; J. A. Seals, D.D., 1847-1852; John P. Campbell, 1852-1857; A. J. Weddell, 1857-1868; H. C. Holloway, 1868-1879; J. Q. McAtee, 1879-1884; John W. Pinkbinner, 1884-1894; T. J. Yost, 1895-1902; J. William McCauley, D.D., 1902-1910; Martin Luther Enders, D.D., 1910-1925; and H. T. Bowersox, D.D., 1925.

Termed "Mother" Church Here

St. Paul's is termed the "Mother church of Protestantism in Western Maryland." From the date of its organization the Lutheran congregation did not use the church building exclusively, the Methodists worshipped there from 1797 until '99 when they built their own church; the Episcopalians from 1803-'22; and the Presbyterians, from 1910-'38.

It is also called the "Mother of Lutheranism in this section," because its pastors established St. Paul's, Frostburg, in 1812; Merley's branch near Plinestown, now extinct, and Zion on Bedford road, now a Methodist church, were established during the pastorate of John George Butler, prior to 1816. St. Luke's was organized in 1838; St. John's, 1892. In addition, pastors from St. Paul's served at various times and intervals the Methodist church in New Germany, Lybarger, near Hyndman, Bortz church, near Centerville, besides a number in Pennsylvania as far as Williamsburg, in Blair county.

The first Sunday school of Allegheny county as organized here in 1818 by Father Hoyer, and the oldest missionary society in the Mountain Conference of the Maryland Synod was organized here in 1886, and was known as the Mame Kephart Missionary Circle.

Will Move 50 Houses

ABERDEEN, Md., May 5. (P)—Frank H. Wilson, of Ardmore, Pa., has been awarded a contract for moving fifty federal housing units from Hatboro, Pa., to Aberdeen for \$107,625, the Federal Public Housing Authority reported today.

OPA CHECKERS REPORT 27 PRICE VIOLATIONS AMONG 24 RESTAURANTS

A preliminary survey of Allegheny county restaurants, completed yesterday by price panel personnel of War Price and Rationing Board No. 231.1, revealed twenty-seven price violations in twenty-four restaurants of Cumberland and Frostburg, Charles G. Smith, chairman of the price panel, announced last evening.

Fourteen of the establishments were complying with OPA posting regulations which require that a restaurant post a sign indicating that ceiling prices in effect are based on the highest price between April 8 to 10, 1943, and that menus and price lists are available for inspection.

Smith asserted that the survey will serve as a first warning, and that upon the second violation managers of restaurants will be called before the price panel.

All hotels and restaurants in the county will be checked in a survey which will be made in the near future.

Schine Theaters Given Permission To Buy Liberty

Approval of Purchase Is Given by John Knight, Federal Judge

Federal Judge John Knight, of Buffalo, N. Y., has given permission to the Schine Chain Theaters, Inc., a New York state corporation, to purchase the Liberty theater of Cumberland.

While word to this effect was received yesterday in an Associated Press dispatch, Reynolds Wallace, manager of the Strand theater, of the Schine circuit, said that he has failed to receive official notice from the home office.

Judge Knight denied a defense motion to dismiss a government-anti-monopoly suit against the company, according to the Associated Press dispatch, and extended for six months the time in which the chain may dispose of ten theaters. Permission to purchase the Liberty was granted despite the monopoly decision.

Approval of postponement of the suit for two years was made May 19, 1942 by Judge Knight, who signed a temporary order providing that the chain, meanwhile, divest itself of sixteen theaters in thirteen communities. The judge said the company has sold six and has reported "it was not able and will not be able to dispose of the remainder."

In his opinion the judge said:

"While the court may have some hesitation in belief that Schine has used every reasonable effort to sell these theaters when considering the fact that they probably have benefited financially, it does appear they have made considerable efforts in this direction."

A decision of Magistrate Frank A. Perdue was upheld in circuit court yesterday morning when Associate Judge William A. Huster found Harold S. Daniels, Bowling Green, guilty of drunken driving. Daniels failed to appear in court for trial and Judge Huster accepted the testimony of three policemen.

Daniels was arrested March 8 by State Troopers Milton G. Hart and Graydon S. Dunlap and City Officer William E. Valentine. They testified Daniels drove his car over the curb into a yard on Greene street and continued to the city limits.

Magistrate Perdue found Daniels guilty of the charge and imposed a \$100 fine and costs of \$1.45. He also was found guilty of reckless driving and was fined \$10 and \$1.45 costs. On the appeal from the convictions, the state dismissed the latter charge. In addition to being ordered to pay the \$100 fine and \$1.45 costs, Judge Huster ordered Daniels to pay circuit court costs of \$13.75.

Daniels' attorney, Edward J. Ryan, said the man was in court Thursday and must have had his dates confused when he failed to appear yesterday.

Calvin Miller, Cumberland, who appealed from juvenile court on a charge of failing to support his wife and two children, received a suspended sentence of one year in the house of correction and was ordered to pay \$15 weekly for their support.

Paul O'Donnell, Cumberland, received a suspended sentence of two years on a charge of desertion and non-support of his wife. He had appealed a conviction from juvenile court.

Members of the petit jury have been excused until Monday morning when several civil cases are scheduled for trial. It was indicated the final criminal trial of the April term will be held Tuesday when Milton Leasure, Frostburg, will be tried on a charge of rape.



QUEEN IS CROWNED—Miss Virginia Martin, seated on the throne, was crowned May Queen at Fort Hill high school yesterday by Miss Betty Cox, 1943 queen, seated on her right, at exercises in the school auditorium. Donna Zembower, kneeling, was the train bearer, while Barbara Matheny was crown bearer. A pageant entitled "A Dream," given under the direction of Miss Gerardine Pritchard, followed the coronation ceremony.

Cause of Righteousness Needs Support of Youth, Purdy Says

Minister Tells Christian Endeavorers Many Churches Are Standing Still

"The cause of righteousness today as never before needs the contributions which can be made through the channels of youth," the Rev. Dr. Willard G. Purdy, pastor of First and Central Presbyterian church, Wilmington, Del., told leaders of the Middle Atlantic Region of the International Society of Christian Endeavor at the opening meeting of a three-day conference which convened here last night.

The meeting was held in First Christian church with seventy-four delegates from five states—Maryland, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Delaware, New Jersey and the District of Columbia—and as many friends in attendance, and Dr. Purdy told them the "cause of righteousness needs to be revived."

He pointed out that in the Methodist church there are now 800,000 less young people than there were in 1934, and in the past ten years, he added, "for every 100 young people who have gone into the front door of the Presbyterian church, eighty-five have gone out of the back door."

Churches Mark Time

In the United States there are 10,000 villages without a church, 30,000 towns without a resident pastor, and 17,000,000 children without religious education, Dr. Purdy said, adding that "so many churches are not marching, they are just marking time."

Taking for his theme, "Go ye into all the world and make disciples of all nations," Dr. Purdy told the young people that when the "world is at its worst, and the church must be at its best, and what is true of the world and the church is equally true of Christian Endeavor."

Dr. Purdy pointed out that Christian Endeavor is a "society of young people, for young people and by young people in the interest of the church."

He added that many lights of the world are not burning now—lights of education, religion, freedom and the like—and many of them, he said, will not be relit in our lifetime, but, he emphasized, "the real battle of life today is always finds its arena in the souls of men. What is happening to the souls of men is far more important than what is happening to factories and ships."

In this picture, Dr. Purdy asserted, Christian Endeavor is like a "refreshing shower in a dry and thirsty land. The fire is burning low but the great organization of youth can be used by God as a fan to bring life back to the dying embers."

Relating that "men by the millions are surrendering to dictators" and subordinating themselves to the state, Dr. Purdy explained that Christian Endeavor is elevating the individual and making him conscious that he is a child of God. It is interracial, international and interdenominational.

In the original Greek "as we study our text," Dr. Purdy said, "going is a participle, 'teaching' is a participle and 'baptizing' is an imperative. Particles are of superlative importance. When all is said and done, our task is to make disciples of all nations."

Social Period Held
Devotions at the opening services were in charge of the Rev. Roy L. Henthorne, pastor of the host church, and music was presented by the Lonaconing Christian Endeavor group and the choir of First Christian church. A social period followed the service.

Sessions today will begin at 9 a. m. in First Methodist church, Bedford street, and conferences of

Allegheny county's premier master of ceremonies hit a home run with the bases loaded while playing the role of toastmaster at the dinner given Thursday evening by the Teachers Association of Allegheny County in honor of Charles L. Kopp, superintendent of county public schools.

In fact, William A. Gunter, well known Cumberland attorney, stole the show. And it wasn't the first time that "Bill" rolled 'em in the aisles with his choice line of funny stories and his good natured ribbing at which he is a past master.

John Weiss once said that "the laughter of man is the contentment of God." And "Life without laughing is a dreary blank" are the words of Thackeray. Chamfort wrote "the most completely lost of all days is that on which one has not laughed."

Gunter apparently is a firm believer that laughing is the cheapest luxury man enjoys and is worth a hundred groans in any state of the market because he is a genius at throwing audiences into convulsions of laughter at the proper moment.

He started off by telling his audience of 250 persons that it was a meeting of educators and was an "awful place for a bottal lawyer to be." He then added that while the occasion was a birthday event for Dr. Kopp, he got more out of it than the guest of honor because he had to buy a new blue suit, get a haircut and wear his pre-Pearl Harbor tie.

Bill then told one of his favorites about his non-paying client, "Bigga Da Lou" Reilly, of Frostburg. It seems that Reilly owned a very smart dog. In fact it was so smart that "Bigga Da Lou" taught it to play checkers. Commenting on the dog's intelligence, a friend had the occasion to praise the dog one day in the presence of Reilly. "He's not so damned smart," Reilly declared in all seriousness, "why I beat him three out of four games today!"

After praising the parent-teacher associations and referring to the fact that seventy-six per cent of the schools have organized groups, Gunter launched into a story about a boy who made a habit of coming to school dirty. His teacher advised his folks of the boy's condition and asked them to lend their efforts in tidying him up before he came to school. Their ire aroused, the parents sent the boy to school the next day with the following note:

"Jimmy ain't no rose. He came to school to be learnt and not smelt."

Another one of Gunter's favorites concerns commencement exercises at Oldtown high school during the time he was president of the school board. It was a sweltering hot day and one of the senior boys fainted and took a dive on the stage. As Gunter and James E. Spitznas carried the boy back into the audience yelled at the sister of her voice, "Oh my goodness they've killed my brother."

In introducing Spitznas, who, by the way proved he is a topnotch orator, Gunter stated that Spitznas was about to lay a tribute on the brow of Prof. Kopp and expressed the hope that the speaker "would not kill our superintendent." At the conclusion of Spitznas's fine tribute, Gunter chimed: "Herbert did not

special interest to society officers will be held. Luncheon will be held at 1 p. m. in Central Y.M.C.A. and conferences will be resumed an hour later. A fellowship dinner will be held at 6:30 p. m. in Central Y.M.C.A.

38 Registrants Of Board 3 Will Enter Service

21 Men Will Leave for Navy Today; 17 To Enter Army Monday

Twenty-one registrants of local Board No. 3 will leave today for the Baltimore navy induction station to begin navy service, and seventeen Board 3 men will leave Monday morning by Blue Ridge bus for Fort George G. Meade to enter the army, Alvin E. Yaste, chief clerk, announced yesterday.

The thirty-eight men, all white, comprise the first May calls for Board 3.

Walter Leo Wilt, former Maryland state trooper, stationed at Barracks B, Frederick, will be leader of the navy contingent which will enter service today. Others in the group are:

To Enter Navy Today
Louis Alden Shepherd, Burke Clarks Hill (transferred to Clarksburg, W. Va.), Bruce Norris Emmart, Paul Irving Noland, Jr., Daniel Elijah Johnson, August Hagelin, Jr., Joseph Elliott Jett, Charles William McDermott, Jr., Wayne Joseph Kuykendall.

Will Enter Army
Charles Erwin Riebschell, manager of the Chicago Market Company, 42 North Centre street, transferred to Board 3 from Zanesville, Ohio, will be leader of the army contingent who will leave Monday. The group will include:

Joseph Henry Brown, Eugene Victor Jones, Ralph Thomas Skelley, Coyle Harris O'Neal, Jr., Daniel Burman Layman, Donnelly Pershing Kidwell, Claude Harrison King, John Thomas Mason.

Gerald Barb, Harold Theodore Stouffer, Robert Lee Brown, John Marion Stafford, Edgar Lee Hollen, Ralph Leon Wilson, Paul Doyle Roth and Arlie Britton Dolly.

More Army Nurses
WASHINGTON, May 5. (P)—The War department today increased the authorized strength of the army nurse corps from 40,000 to 50,000.

kill our superintendent but he almost scared him to death."

After Harold C. Wickard presented Dr. Kopp with a gift in behalf of the teachers, Gunter commented that, as usual, the toastmaster was forgotten "but thank God it won't be long until Christmas."

Then Bill told a story about the dedication exercises some years ago at the Piney Plains school in the eastern end of the county. The name of a farmer of that community appeared on the program for the address of welcome. As it came time for the man to make the address, he arose, held up his hand and shouted: "Welcome to Piney Plains!" Gunter said he believes that is the shortest address on record.

While introducing Benjamin Willis, superintendent of Washington county schools, Gunter recalled that he spoke recently at graduation exercises for nurses in Hagerstown and on that occasion referred to Hagerstown as Maryland's second city. He apologized to Mr. Willis after changing the order of the cities on Thursday evening, placing Cumberland second and Hagerstown third. "You know it all depends on the city in which one is speaking," he laughingly remarked.

Capacity Crowd Sees Crowning Of May Queen

Fort Hill Players Score in "A Dream" Pageant after Coronation

A jam-packed audience attended coronation exercises yesterday afternoon in Fort Hill high school where Miss Virginia Martin was crowned May Queen by Miss Betty Cox, who was accorded a similar honor a year ago.

The Fort Hill Players presented a pageant entitled "A Dream" following the coronation ceremony and nine dreamers, namely, Wayne Ansel, Ronald Armbruster, Leslie Brinkman, Ray Lapp, John Mertens, Ronald Screen, Edward Seibert, George Lapp and Davis Weber, envisioned the following numbers:

"Deep Purple," a ballet; "A Wonderful Way To Spend an Evening," solo by Stanford Zollner; "If I'm Dreaming," solo by Annabell Simons; "If Women Worked as Men Do," a play, enacted by Lois Hanks, Ruth Ann Scott, Ruth Ella Rice and Norman Linn.

"The Big Brown Bear," solo by Marilyn Markel; "Spring Fever," a musical reading by Jack Zembower; "If Men Played Cards as Women Do," a play enacted by Robert Tomsko, Darl Jewell, Robert Allen and William Goldsborough; "Star Dust," a ballet.

Personnel of the May court included Marie Douglass and Iona Miller, heralds; Donna Zembower, train bearer; Barbara Matheny, crown bearer; Martha Lee Campbell, Doris Hoffman, Regina Henley, Vivian Strieby, Shirley Burke, Joe Lane, Jeanne Davis and Birdie Kirk, attendants.

Theme music by the orchestra under the direction of Miss Pearl Garbick was from "The Dream" pantomime of "Hansel and Gretel."

Approximately sixty boys and girls from the seventh to the twelve grades participated in the program. Miss Gerardine Pritchard, director, was assisted by Miss Florence Repp, court costumes; Miss Chloris Benson, stage; Mrs. Ada Hughes and Miss Veronica Coleman, professional.

Mrs. Carol Tolson To Lead Symposium

Public Is Invited To Attend State Nurses' Meeting May 24

A symposium on "The Value of the Cadet Nurse Corps and Its Implications for the Future," which will feature the annual meeting of the Maryland State Nurses meeting, Wednesday, May 24, in the city hall, will be open to the public, it was announced yesterday.

A request that the public be invited was made by officers of the state association.

Mrs. Carol Tolson, of Memorial hospital, member of the board of directors of District No. 1, of the Maryland State Nurses Association, will be chairman of the symposium, which will be held from 2:30 to 4:30 in the city hall auditorium.

A business meeting of District No. 1 will be held at 2 p. m., in the city hall council chamber.

The dinner will be held at 6 p. m., in the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club. Dr. William Massey Crawford, of United States Marine Hospital, Baltimore, will be the guest speaker.

South Cumberland Troops Will Hold Program at Central "Y" May 20

Plans for a "Night of Fun" program in the Central Y.M.C.A., Saturday, May 20, were completed at a meeting of scout leaders of the South Cumberland neighborhood at the home of H. Vernon Adams, 120 Massachusetts avenue, neighborhood commissioner.

A committee comprising E. L. Bucy, William Allee and Bernard Beck will be in charge.

Robert Myers, chairman, Elmer Freeland, Raymond Wempe and W. W. Boardman were named as a committee to supervise weekend camps and hikes scheduled for this summer.

A list of merit badges counselors was completed and after being appointed by the local council will be released to troops of the neighborhood.

Fifty scouts and eight leaders of five troops of the South Cumberland neighborhood attended the get-together meeting on Thursday evening in St. Mary's hall, Oldtown road. Games were played and two moving pictures, "Power and Ocean" and "Before the Doctor Comes" were shown through the courtesy of the Standard Oil Company and the Allegheny County Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Troops represented were No. 2, Baltimore and Ohio Y.M.C.A.; No. 8, St. Mary's church; No. 15, Fort Hill high school; No. 23, Bethany United Brethren church and No. 76, Wiley Ford, W. Va.



KILLED IN ACTION—Memorial services honoring Lieut. Raymond W. Grace, 27, who was killed in action on a Flying Fortress, July 9, 1943, will be held at 2 p. m. Sunday in Trinity Methodist church, Fort Ashby, W. Va. Mrs. Dorothy Grace will receive the Purple Heart award and the Air Medal and two Oak Leaf Clusters awarded posthumously to her husband.

John A. Parks Dies Suddenly In Miami, Fla.

Former Baking Company Official Is Stricken by Heart Attack

John A. Parks, 54, of 537 Greene street, former secretary and treasurer of the Community Baking Company, died suddenly of a heart attack at 12:30 p. m. yesterday at his winter home in Miami, Fla.

Mr. Parks came to Cumberland sixteen years ago from Petersburg, W. Va., when he became associated with the bakery. He held the position of secretary and treasurer until about eight years ago when he retired because of ill health although he retained his membership on the firm's board of directors.

A native of Petersburg, Mr. Parks was a son of the late A. A. and Annie R. Judy Parks. While a resident of Petersburg he became owner of the light company, the water works and a flour and feed mill there, but he relinquished these businesses when he came to Cumberland to accept the position with the bakery.

He was a member of the Masonic Lodge at Petersburg and of First Presbyterian church in Cumberland. He was a former member of the Kiwanis club here but in later years became a member of the Kiwanis club at Miami.

Mr. Parks is survived by his widow, Mrs. Fredericka Hendrickson Parks, a native of Moorefield, W. Va., who was in Miami with him; one son, John A. Parks, Jr., manager of a Pan American airport in British Guiana, South America; three daughters, Mrs. Elinor Larrimore, Miami; Miss Alice Parks, at home; Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Schaidt, Jr., at home; two sisters, Mrs. A. B. Haslacker, Cumberland; and Mrs. Fred Klencke, Piedmont, W. Va.; and one granddaughter.

The body will be brought to Cumberland for funeral services. Interment will be in Petersburg.

WARTZACK BODY WILL ARRIVE ON TUESDAY

The body of Seaman First Class Arthur W. Wartzack, 25, son of Mrs. Mary Wartzack, 216 South Smallwood street, who was killed last Friday in the crash of a naval transport plane at Flagstaff, Ariz., left San Diego, Cal., at 11:30 a. m. yesterday with a naval escort and is expected to arrive here at 2:57 a. m. Tuesday, according to word received yesterday at the Wolford funeral home.

The body will arrive on a Baltimore and Ohio railroad train and will be taken to the home of Mrs. Wartzack. Time of the funeral has not been set but Fort Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion, will assist in the services.

Wartzack was on the way to his home here to spend a furlough when he met his death in the plane crash that took the lives of seventeen other persons. He had just returned from more than a year of duty in the South Pacific area as a gunner on a destroyer escort.

MRS. MARIE MILEY
Funeral services will be held at 7:30 o'clock tonight for Mrs. Marie I. Miley, 85, widow of Franklin D. Miley, 605 Louisiana avenue, who died yesterday morning at her home.

The services will be held in Steins funeral home with the Rev. Dr. Hixon T. Bowersox officiating. Interment will be made Sunday in Lancaster, Pa.

A daughter of the late George and Elizabeth Kreider Schaubel, Mrs. Miley was a native of Lancaster but had resided here for the past eighteen years and was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran church.

Surviving are two daughters, Misses Mabel S. and Elizabeth K. Miley, both at home; two sons, Charles S. Miley, Akron, Ohio; and George S. Miley, Beaver Falls, Pa.

MRS. NANCY SHIPLEY RITES
Funeral services for Mrs. Nancy Bell Shipley, widow of John Richard Shipley, 611 Hill Top drive, were held at the home at 1 p. m. yesterday with the Rev. Edward P. Heinze officiating. Interment was in Camp Hill cemetery, Paw Paw, W. Va.

Palbearers were S. F. Hannahan, Perry Ambrose, Leo Wilson, Robert Shipley, Eldred Leighty and L. C. Deale.

Military Order Of Purple Heart To Award Medals

Three War Veterans Will Be Decorated Here on Memorial Day

Purple Heart medals will be presented to three veterans of the First World War at the annual Memorial day exercises of Fort Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion, Tuesday, May 30, in Rose Hill cemetery, it was announced yesterday by George M. Leib, commander of Mountain Chapter No. 166, Military Order of the Purple Heart.

Those designated by the War department to receive the medals are:

Designated for Awards
Norman E. Sell, 305 Mountain View drive; sergeant with Company H, Three Hundred and Thirtieth Infantry, Seventy-ninth Division, wounded November 6, 1918 on Hill 378, Meuse-Argonne; shrapnel in left hip.

Charles C. Ricewick, of Green Spring, W. Va.; private with Company A, One Hundred and Thirtieth Machine Gun Battalion, wounded September 28, 1918.

George W. Hynes, of Plinestown, private first class with Company H, Three Hundred and Thirtieth Infantry, Seventy-ninth Division, wounded in Argonne forest.

Finals plans for the Maryland department convention of the Military Order of Purple Heart were formulated last Sunday at a meeting of the department's executive committee in Baltimore.

Delegates will register at the Fort Cumberland hotel Friday and Saturday, June 16 and 17 and all business sessions will be conducted at the V. P. W. home, 205 Union street. The convention banquet and military ball will be held at the Queen City hotel June 17.

Seek Member on Board
It was voted at this meeting to send telegrams to Governor O'Connor and Mayor Theodore R. McKeldin, of Baltimore, urging appointment of a member of the Order of the Purple Heart to the board of governors of the War Memorial building, who each appoint five members to the board.

Announcement was made that the national convention will be held in Lancaster, Pa., August 4 to 8, inclusive.

State Commander Segal presided at the meeting which was attended by Leib, general chairman of the convention committee, and Lee Thrasher, deputy state welfare officer.

Airport Posts Flying Charges

Fees for Commercial Planes Announced by Director Heskett

Charges ranging from twenty-five cents to \$2.50 for commercial flying at the Cumberland Municipal Airport were put into effect this week, Charles Z. Heskett, airport director, announced yesterday.

A charge of twenty-five cents per passenger will be made for each flight made in a single passenger cub type plane where the pilot makes a charge for the flight.

Fifty cents a passenger will be charged for any flights made in ships having a capacity of more than one passenger where the pilot makes a charge for the flight.